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NOTICE.

A meeting of the Creditors in the estate of Munroe Miller, Printer, will be held on Thursday, the 15th inst., at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Duck Building, Broad street.
THOMAS T. HULL, Assignee.
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Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.
INCORPORATED 1890.

The Third Annual Meeting of the donors and subscribers to the Institution will be held at the City Hall, on Friday, the 30th day of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
BUSINESS — Receiving the Annual Report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 1st June; likewise the election of six Directors.
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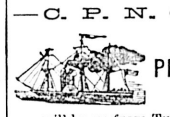
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MONTREAL MATTERS.

Big Fire at Longue Pointe—The Old Church Burned Down—Sir William Dawson's Resignation.

MONTREAL, June 12.—(special)—The report that Sir W. Dawson, principal of McGill university, since 1855, has sent in his resignation is confirmed. His failing health compels him to retire. He is in his 73rd year.

There was a big fire at Longue Pointe, six miles from Montreal, on Saturday afternoon. The fire started in a small bakery in close proximity to the Roman Catholic church, and spread to the Presbytery thence to the church. The Montreal brigade was summoned to the scene, but before the firemen arrived the fire had almost completely destroyed the church, the presbytery and a number of houses adjoining. The church was an ancient stone structure built in 1725, and valued at $18,000. The presbytery was a new building, just completed at a cost of $8,000. The church and presbytery were insured. The other losses are small. It was reported that the famous Longue Pointe Asylum was in flames, but the fire was some distance from the asylum and it was in no danger.

Life is short and time is fleeting, but Hood's Sarsaparilla will bless humanity as the ages roll on. Try it this season.

EVANS AND SONTAG.

Fight Between the Train Robbers and the Police—Evans Escapes to Mountains.

Sontag Captured, Having Probably Received Fatal Injuries—Hard Experiences of the Bandits.

VISALIA, Cal., June 12.—Another fight between Evans and Sontag, the train robbers, and police took place last evening. During the fight an officer was shot in the leg. Sontag is probably mortally wounded and Evans escaped to the hills, followed by a heavy fire. Rapelje, deputy sheriff of Fresno county, and Fred Jackson, a policeman from Nevada, have been in the mountains a week hunting for Evans and Sontag, accompanied by Thomas Burns, who was with Deputy United States Marshal Black when he was shot while in Camp Badger three weeks ago. On Sunday morning they encamped at a vacant house about eighteen miles northeast of this city and about six miles west from Wilcox canyon. About 20 minutes before sunset Rapelje went to the rear door of the house and saw two men coming down the hill. They proved to be Evans and Sontag. Evans was in the lead and carried a rifle and shotgun, while Sontag carried a rifle. Jackson, the policeman who was shot, went to the door where Rapelje was standing and said: "They are the men we have been looking for."

The two men woke up Burns and United States Marshal Gard, who went out of the front door, and as they went around the back corner Evans saw Rapelje, and, throwing his rifle to his shoulder, took aim and fired. Just then Jackson stepped behind Rapelje and opened fire. Evans was seen to throw up both hands and fall backwards. Then the firing began to be general and Sontag returned the shots with a vengeance. Jackson went round the far end of the house to get a better place from which to shoot, and as he turned the corner he was shot in the left leg, between the knee and ankle. About forty shots were exchanged between the police and the robbers, but darkness ended the battle. Sontag was seen to crawl from behind a rubbish pile, and Rapelje again opened fire on him. Sontag then rose to his feet and ran toward the hills, followed by Rapelje, who continued firing. Sontag did not return the fire, and was soon out of sight. Rapelje returned to the house, secured a wagon, and brought Jackson to the city.

John Sontag was brought to Vasalia and placed in the county jail at 10:30 this morning by United States Marshal Gard of Los Angeles. Evans is supposed to be wounded also, for when he left Sontag he also left all his shooting outfit, except his revolvers. Sontag looks like a man who has had a hard time. His appearance refutes the charges that the bandits had been well cared for by their friends. The press reporter started early this morning for the battle. Five miles out of the city he met with a wagon coming in with Sontag, who lay on a lot of blakets and sacks, wounded and begrimmed with dust and blood. One side of his face and nose was filled with powder marks. Hardships and neglect was pictured in his general appearance, and his black hair and beard were long and unkempt. He looked like a sheep herder just returned from an all summer job in the mountains. His overalls were old and faded, patched in several places and covered with grease. He had on a pair of new shoes that looked as if they had only been worn a few days. He is more spare and attenuated than when he made Visalia his home a few years ago. He had evidently bled considerably during the night. Dry crusts of blood covered with dust were about his neck and face. He had evidently bled from the mouth from an internal wound. He was shot through the arm with a Winchester, the bullet passing into his body.

When met by a reporter the wagon halted in the shade of a tree and a canteen of water was brought. Sontag's head was held up and the wounded man drank freely, saying he felt as though he never could get enough. He declined the whiskey and seemed to be in great pain from his internal wound. On the way into Visalia the officers endeavored to keep the news from reaching town in advance of them. All persons passing on the road were stopped and told not to precede the officers, probably because they feared an attempt to lynch Sontag. No one talked of lynching, the crowd at the jail being very quiet and orderly. Shortly after he was carried into the jail, Mrs. Chris Evans, Mrs. O. P. Byrd and Eva Evans were admitted to see him. Constable English, one of the posse who went out and found Sontag, says that just before reaching the scene of the fight they met Burns and Gard, who had lain out on watch all night. The whole party proceeded to a strawpile and found the bandits' guns. In the straw stack they saw the head of Sontag, who was apparently dead. He was almost entirely covered with straw. The posse uncovered him and found a revolver in his left hand, which they took possession of. Near by lay two shot guns and a rifle, and about thirty yards away in the direction which Evans had gone, another Winchester rifle quite bloody. Evans had dropped it as he was making his escape and after several shots being fired at him. This is strong evidence that Evans is badly wounded, as he would never have left his trusty rifle behind him if his arm were not broken. Sontag had lain all night in the pile of straw at the spot where he fell at dusk last evening. Only one shoe and his face were visible. He had heaped straw over himself with one hand. It was a cold night, and when found he was stiff. The straw had become clotted with blood and presented a ghastly appearance. When taken from the straw he talked frequently, and said he was shot through the arm and inside. When he fell he was hurt too badly to get away, and told Evans he had received his death wound and urged him to make his escape and leave him to his fate.

A reporter interviewed Sontag at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at which time he was very weak. He says two hundred shots were fired, the fight lasting over an hour. He was disabled at the first fire, and lay in the straw, with the bullets whistling over him, the balance of the fight. He says he begged Evans to shoot him before leaving, but Evans declined.

NO LONGER CHAIRMAN.

Ald. Belyea Resigns the Position of Head of the Sewerage Committee.

After last evening's meeting of the City Council, Mayor Beaven opened a letter which had been placed on his desk during the session. It was from Ald. Belyea, who briefly tendered his resignation as chairman of the Sewerage committee, which position he has held since his election to the Council. The Mayor was surprised, but said nothing about the communication, except that he wanted to have a talk with Ald. Belyea some time to-day.

When the fact that Ald. Belyea had resigned the chairmanship was known, a COLONIST reporter asked him if he would state why he did not desire to serve in that capacity any longer. He replied:

"In the first place, the Council tabled a report of the Sewerage committee, which recommended that the work should be gone on with under the local improvement system, and then they passed the Sewerage Loan by-law to raise money on the general credit of the city. This was overwhelmingly defeated by the ratepayers, and when the resolution, which practically meant the adoption of the committee's original report, came up to-night, it was defeated. During the campaign before the election last January I pledged myself to an early completion of the sewerage system. The majority of the Council have now declared that no sewerage work is to be done this year. The responsibility for that must rest with the majority of the Council which may have some other method not yet divulged of going on with the work. At any rate the majority do not agree with the committee, and by going off the committee an opportunity is given them of electing some one else in my place who may probably meet their views in sewerage matters."

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Columbus Caravels to be Saluted at Quebec—Grosse Isle Quarantine Equipment.

A Long Standing Patent Suit—Seizure of a Troublesome Smuggling Schooner.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 12.—At the request of the Spanish consul at Quebec, the Caravels en route to the World's Fair will be given a salute from the Quebec citadel as they pass on Wednesday.

Controller Wallace has extended his orders respecting American cheese, so that hereafter American butter shipped from Montreal will be marked "Product of the United States" before being allowed on shipboard.

The Quebec schooner Souvenir, was seized by the cruiser Constance for not reporting at the customs. Officer McGee was violently assaulted at the time the Souvenir was first seized, but the vessel escaped. Since then the Government cruiser has been on the lookout for her.

The Secretary of the Province of Quebec Board of Health has written to Hon. A. R. Angers, stating that the Board visited Grosse Isle last week and consider it admirably equipped. In fact they believe that no better quarantine station exists on the continent.

A patent case was heard in the Exchequer court to-day. Jas. Conan is suing P. Larkin and Connolly Bros. for royalty on a patent dredge, which defendants obtained from him nearly twenty years ago. The defendants plead that Conan agreed not to charge a royalty.

CONFIRMED IN THE TEMPLE.

Six Children Formally Admitted to Membership in the Jewish Community With Impressive Ceremony.

The Temple Emanu-El was on Sunday afternoon the scene of a unique ceremony, especially interesting because it is the first of the kind which has taken place in Victoria. This was the confirmation of six children and their admission to full membership in the Jewish congregation. The invitation kindly extended by the Rabbi had the effect of drawing a large congregation made up in great part of members of other religious bodies. Rabbi Philo conducted the ceremonies and the confirmation class consisted of Misses Rosie Philo, Kate Phillips and Addie Wolfe, and Masters Michael Phillips, Isidore Cohen and Joseph Sylvester. The class assembled on the platform beside the Rabbi, who opened the proceedings by an address, in which he impressed upon them the solemn nature of the occasion. Invocations for divine guidance were then offered, first by one of the boys, and next by one of the girls, and the bouquets of flowers carried by all the class were deposited at the shrine. Then the scroll containing the law of Moses was taken from the arch by the teacher of the boys class, and "this ancient banner of truth" being unfolded, Miss Rosie Philo read a passage of the law in Hebrew, giving the translation in English. The whole class then joined in an invocation in Hebrew. They were catechised at considerable length by the Rabbi, and faultlessly answered the questions put, and after further prayers the Rabbi declared the whole class confirmed and adopted as members of the Jewish community, and in token thereof laid his hands upon them, the children going up to the shrine in pairs for that purpose. The class were then dismissed to receive the congratulations of their friends in the temple, and after the intermission returned to their seats upon the platform, where they were addressed by the Rabbi, who pointed out to them the duties of the religion they had just professed. Miss Philo then made an address, expressive of the thanks of her classmates to those friends who had assembled to witness the ceremony; and Master Phillips made a similar address of thanks to the Rabbi, the members of the school committee and the lady teachers of the Sabbath school, who had assisted in preparing them for the confirmation. The proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem by the whole congregation, at the invitation of Rabbi Philo, in honor of the Queen's representative, Lieut. Governor Dewdney, who, with Mrs. Dewdney, had accepted the invitation to be present.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Opening of the Convention and Meeting of the Sportsmen's Association of the Northwest.

Corrected Results of Saturday's Yachting at Oak Bay—Bicycle Race To-day.

The annual convention of the Sportsmen's Association of the North West opens at the Driard hotel this evening, and the tournament commences to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. The delegates from the Multnomah Gun club, of Portland, who came in on Sunday, are the first on hand; they will be followed to-day by fifty or sixty representative marksmen from Puget Sound, the gun clubs of Westminster and Ladner's Landing, and delegates from Vancouver and Nanaimo. In all about one hundred crack shots are expected to be on hand when the business of the meeting is entered upon.

The grounds at Macaulay Point are now in splendid condition, and the indications are in every way favorable. The great majority of the matches are to be shot on "blackbirds," only two trophies—those presented by the Tacoma Globe and the Legislature of British Columbia—requiring live birds.

THE RIFLE.

FOR THE POWERS' CUP.

VANCOUVER, June 12.—(Special)—The score in the rifle club match for the Powers' cup was as follows: H. Collins, 81; H. Brocklesly, 81; H. Fores, 80; and Dr. Bell-Irving, 71.

YACHTING.

THE CORRECTED RESULTS.

The corrected results in Saturday's yacht race as officially announced are as follows:

	Yacht.	*Captain.*	*Time.*
1	Swallow,	J. Turnbull,	1.11.30
2	Kalooloo,	C. Shrapnell,	1.18 16
3	Victoria,	J. H. Seeley,	1.20.00

The time allowance given to the Kalooloo makes her time one minute less, 1hr. 17min. 16sec.

CANOEING.

MADE GOOD TIME.

Four or five of the canoes which were out at Oak Bay for Saturday's regatta were paddled around on Sunday, the distance, about eight to eight and a half miles, being made in from an hour and a half to two hours. The water was very smooth and the tide in the right direction, so that the paddle was an easy one.

CRICKET.

REORGANIZED FOR THE SEASON.

At a meeting of the C.C.C.C.C.—Christ Church Cathedral Choir Cricket club—held a few evenings ago, reorganization for the season was completed and the following officers chosen: President, the Lord Bishop; Vice-Presidents, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven and Rev. Canon Beanlands; Capt, Rev. J. B. Hewetson; Hon. Secretary, A. S. Aspland; Committee of Management, W. Williams, J. Kingham and J. E. Martin. The following is a list of matches so far arranged: June 6, United Banks (won by the Banks); 7, Collegiate School (won by the Choir); 15, Corrig College; 22, Victoria C. C second eleven; 28, Albions; July 6, H. M S Champion; 13 and 20, Victoria Juniors; 27, Victoria Juniors; August 5 (open); 12, United Banks; 17, Victoria C. C. second eleven; 23 (open); 31, Albions.

THE WHEEL.

KERR V. BEGG.

At Beacon Hill this evening, Messrs. Roderick N. Begg (captain of the W.C.C.) and Mr. John R. Kerr (standard bearer of the club) will meet for a one mile race, which promises to be splendid sport.

THE CUE.

At Brown's Billiard parlors, last night, a large crowd assembled to witness the pool handicaps.

FIRST GAME.

Smith, 20 start, 100 balls.
Anderson, 35 start, 68 balls.

SECOND GAME.

Gowdy, 20 start, 100 balls.
Clayton, scratch, 97 balls.
Play resumes this evening.

A FAREWELL TESTIMONIAL.

Members of the Epworth League Bid Good-Bye to Rev. Coverdale and Mrs. Watson.

The regular weekly meeting of the Epworth League of the Metropolitan Methodist church last evening was of special interest, in that it afforded the society an opportunity to tender the retiring pastor of the church, Rev. Coverdale Watson, a hearty farewell. During the evening a presentation was made, taking the practical form of a large and valuable valise, containing other smaller presents, such as a toilet case, scent bottle, etc., and bearing the appended inscription prettily engraved: "Presented to Rev. C. Watson by the Epworth League of the Metropolitan church, Victoria." Accompanying the presentation was the following address:

To. Rev Coverdale Watson:

BELOVED PASTOR.—We, the officers and members of the Pandora Avenue Chapter of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church of Canada, desire to express to you our love and appreciation of the valuable services to us and our church during your sojourn with us

You were not only our founder, but you have been our guide and patron since, and to you and your faithful wife is due in a great measure the prosperity which has marked the existence of our chapter. We shall follow you to your new field of labor with our good wishes and our prayers and will joyfully welcome you should you in the providence of God return to us at any time in the future as our pastor. As a slight token of esteem and appreciation we beg leave to present you a travelling companion

For the Society
(Sd) L. DUNNINGHAM, President.
(Sd) G. E. BROWN, Secretary.

In reply to the address Rev. Mr. Watson made an appropriate speech, and the remainder of the evening was spent in a sociable manner.

Drink "Club" and "Imperial Rye.

Trout

fishing opens on the 15th. Get your tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. A fine variety to select from

REMENYI TO-NIGHT.

What a Chicago Paper Has to Say of the Famous Virtuoso.

A packed house is sure to greet the celebrated violinist Remenyi and his company to night. Their present tour has everywhere been the most successful they have had. The following, from the Chicago Times of 5th February, shows how they were received and how they delighted their audience in the Fair city:

"Mr. Remenyi must have been thoroughly satisfied from the warmth of the greeting given him that he is very pleasantly remembered. His tone is smooth, pure, steady and his bowing and fingering are full of confidence as they could be. He has the true musical feeling, too, knowing both what an effect should be and how to compass it.

"His first number last night was Goddard's 'Concerto Romantique.' The canzonetta served to display to great advantage the player's wonderful delicacy and precision in execution and his power of producing the merest thread of sound that was yet perfect in musical quality, and the final allegro displayed the fire and dash of which he is capable and the impetuosity and accuracy combined of his technic.

"Enthusiastically, indeed rapturously, recalled, he responded with Schubert's 'Serenade,' which gave occasion for some of the most exquisitely sustained and flowing legato-playing heard here in many a day, and was played with much more breadth and passion of shading than is usually given the work. He was again tumultuously recalled till he answered with a another familiar air. Later he played the romance in E and mazurka in B of Chopin and the barcarole of Schubert in his own transcription, and still later in his own fantastic 'Hungarian Melodies,' but what has been said of his playing is sufficient for the occasion. The audience was large and immensely enthusiastic."

A MYSTERIOUS ENEMY.

Unwelcome Attentions Paid to Ex-Alderman Kelly by an Unknown Miscreant.

A Bomb Thrown on April 13 and a Warehouse Fired Yesterday Morning.

At 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning a frame building on Cook street, in the rear of the residence of ex-Alderman S. L. Kelly, and belonging to that gentleman, was partially destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at about $200. The building was used as a warehouse, but had formerly seen service as a stable, and the fire was evidently of incendiary origin.

In connection with the fire, Mr. Kelly makes public a very strange story, which he related to Superintendent Sheppard some time ago, and because of the circumstances of which he placed an additional $500 insurance on his home on the 14th of April last.

"The night before, the 13th of April,' says Mr. Kelly, "I was going home rather late—between 11:30 and 12 o'clock—when I encountered a rough-looking fellow, who pretended to be drunk, on Fort street. He was rolling along and almost rolled against me, so that I had to push him away from me. He dropped back against the fence, and a minute later rolled right towards me. I was ready for him, and brought him a good chip on the jaw with my heavy cane. It was enough for him, and he dropped his shamming, drunk and started on a dead run for View street.

"I had just got home and upstairs to my room, and was telling my wife of the occurrence when I heard a loud explosion in the yard. My wife at first thought it was some fireworks that my son had, but I told her it was not—it was downstairs, and I went out to investigate. I could see nothing, but I could smell a strong odor like that of Chinese paper burning. The two dogs, which were lying on the steps when I came in, had run away; they were worse scared than I was.

"The next morning I made a thorough search and found the cause of the alarm. It was a piece of iron pipe about a foot or a foot and a half long, and had evidently been loaded with powder and paper wads. When it was thrown over the fence and exploded it went through the lattice. The man, who I believe was the same I encountered on the street, evidently threw the bomb over the fence intending it to go through the window.

"The next morning I reported the case to Chief Sheppard and also to Mr. Percy Brown, to whom I went for an additional $500 insurance. I could give no description of the man and did not know that I had an enemy. If I have any, I can meet them face to face in the daylight, but it's pretty hard to have them throw bombs at you at night. When I was working at the fire with a garden hose, before the firemen came, I smelled the same strange smell as of Chinese paper burning, and that's what makes me think the bomb-thrower and the incendiary are the same. The fire was started near a barrel in which I had some German lamps stored away, and the fire bug evidently got in by breaking the window and cutting through the gunnysack nailed on the inside."

Washington's Casualty.

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 12.—The inquest over the bodies of the victims of Ford's theatre disaster commenced to-day in Willard's hall. Col. Ainsworth, chief of the record and pensions division has been placed on the defensive by implied accusations that he was responsible for the presence of clerks in the old building.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Dastardly Dog Poisoning at Nanaimo—Outward Passengers by the Australian Steamer.

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias—High Water on the Fraser River.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 12.—Twelve passengers have been booked so far by the direct Australian steamer. A. Fader & Co. have taken up all the cold storage for the shipment of halibut.

At the banquet to the officers and passengers of the Miowera, at Hotel Vancouver, 100 people sat down. The speeches by the visitors were very interesting.

Miss Swan, the retiring matron of the hospital, was presented with a silver service by the Board of Health and citizens of Vancouver.

As an experiment the city tramway was run by the power propelling the Vancouver and Westminster tram. It proved fairly successful. If it be made satisfactory a great expense will be saved.

The council considered the case of fireman Campbell, who broke his leg three months ago, and gave full wages while he was laid up, instead of half.

The boundaries of the new fire limits will be Westminster Avenue on the east and Granville street on the west, Dupont street on the south, Burrard Inlet on the north.

The city and the tram company are at loggerheads. The city is not satisfied with the guarantee the tram company offers for the return of the $75,000 proposed expenditure in laying new permanent rails. The tram's solicitors advise the city not to tear up the track in the progress of laying the new pavement. Contractor McGillivray says he will go ahead and lay the pavement to-morrow, as if the track was not needed. The tram company say they have good permanent rails laid, according to agreement. The city say they have not. A law suit will ensue.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 12.—The annual session of the Grand Lodge, K. of P., will convene here to-morrow, and will last three days. An elaborate programme of entertainment has been arranged. Fifty delegates will be present.

Mrs. Joseph Bayliss dropped dead of heart disease last night after returning from a visit to a neighbor. She leaves ten children.

Mrs. W. W. Dickinson, daughter of M. M. English, the well-known canner, died early yesterday morning, aged 22.

The water came up with a rush yesterday and is now higher than at any time since June, 1888. It has two and a half feet to rise yet before reaching the level of 1882.

A man named Cubbin, of Langley, was committed for trial to-day for brutally beating his sister and assaulting a man named Rutter. He was beating Rutter when Miss Cubbin interfered, and he turned on her. Cubbin was up at the assizes last fall for shooting a neighbor's ox. He was found guilty, but sentence was suspended.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 12.—There was a turn out of about 250 members of the local and district lodges, K. of P., for the annual decoration ceremonies yesterday afternoon. Bros. Graham and Rice read the special services of the Order, and Rev. D. M. McRae performed the religious ceremonies. The Silver Cornet band was in attendance.

The poisoning of Mr. C. Dempster's valuable dogs has caused great indignation here. Mr. Dempster had invested a great deal of money in them, and was just beginning to get some return for his outlay. Claremont Garry, the collie, one of the finest dogs of its kind in the Dominion, had been sought after by several breeders in Victoria and on the Sound. $350 was only recently offered and refused for the animal.

The trial of Louis Underwood was continued in the Assize court to-day.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, June 10.—A concert and dance at the Agricultural hall, Duncan, in aid of the fund for the erection of a public hall at Koksilah, took place on Thursday night. A large company was present, realizing a snug little sum for the scheme. The performers were enthusiastically received, and included all the leading exponents of the district.

Dr. Watson, Indian Agent Lomas and Government Agent Wellburn returned from Nanaimo to-day.

KOOTENAY.

(From the Kootenay Star.)

On Tuesday last John Boyd and Tom Bain, prospectors, well-known at Illecillewaet, left with a packhorse well laden with camping outfit, to commence where the mineral belt crosses the trail from south-east to north-west, and prospect right through the Big Bend country.

As a result of the recent hot weather (80 degrees in the shade), the river is again rising, but it will hardly reach last year's high water mark.

A petition to Molson's bank has been extensively signed by business men, for the establishment of a branch here.

It is stated that Dan McGillivray has obtained the contract for constructing the Nakusp & Slocan railway.

Tommy Tapping, the three-year old son of Robert Tapping, while playing at the back of the house, fell into the pool of water at the intake of the Smelter Company's pipe and was carried over the dam. Mr. Tapping, hearing nothing of the child for some time, went to the dam, and found the little fellow lying on the rocks below with the water splashing over him. The father picked up the boy and sent for the doctor, but consciousness never returned. Mrs. Tapping is ill in bed, having been confined with another son last Saturday.

☞Several prospecting parties have gone up the trail to Big Bend, on which the Government have had seven men employed for the past six weeks, under Wm. Mackenzie. It is expected the work will be completed some time next week.

GOLDEN.

(From the Golden Era.)

The steamer Annerly has only made one trip and is now laid up at Jennings for repairs. The passengers to Tobacco Plains report a very rough trip, owing to driftwood and high water.

Haupt & Thompson, Rosendale & Johnston have bonded their claims near "North Star" to Woods Bros., of Quebec.

A. W. McVittie has gone to Thunder Hill to arrange to put up an electric light plant on the E. K. E. Co. diggings on Wild Horse Creek.

On Tuesday last, near Hog Ranch, a miner, by the name of Baker, slipped over the side of the Duchess and was drowned.

Mr. Hogg, C. P. R. engineer, is at Fort Steele, and will explore the Goat river and Moyie routes. He reports a party of engineers now in the Pass (Crow's Nest) working across from the east.

THE SEWERAGE MANAGEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR:—It seems hopeless to watch the proceedings of the City Council for information as to what is to be done in the matter of sewerage. A large sum of money has already been expended to little purpose if the city is going to stand still where it is in regard to sewerage. It stands to reason if that money is to be utilized some further steps have to be taken. We look to the meeting of the Council to see what is proposed to be done, and what do we find. Discussion as to the application of the Local Improvement Act? No, but abuse of Mr. Mohun, statements as to mistakes he is said to have made, not one of which has ever been brought home to him. That gentleman has demanded an enquiry into the accusations of Alderman Baker and others, but no one has the manliness to move that the enquiry shall be made. Mr. Mohun, after years of study submitted plans for sewering the city, which were accepted and the first loan for carrying out the scheme was voted by the citizens under a safeguard that the money should be managed by commissioners. A second loan by-law was submitted to the ratepayers and was defeated, very largely owing to the absence of this safeguard.

Now, all that a party of the Council have to offer is abuse of the engineer. That gentleman's plans were adopted by the Council under certain conditions, it may be well for the Council to see if those conditions are being fulfilled, and if not, who is breaking them. It would surely be an honest act to the ratepayers and Mr. Mohun if the Council were to make the plain enquiry whether he passed inferior piping, which they will find he did not, whether there is a sag in the View street main, which they will find there is not, or if he certified for work done by the contractor which had not been done as ill-disposed persons would like to hint. It may be the proposed loan which was defeated was too large for the finances of the city, and that the work and financing should proceed more slowly; but that is a matter for careful consideration. Misstatements regarding work already done will not help in furthering what has to be done, neither will the work be made less costly by allowing aldermen, who know little if anything about the work, to take the management out of the engineers' hands. One blunder by them will cost many years of Mr. Mohun's salary.

JAMES ANGUS.

June 12, 1893.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Return of the "Louise" From the North—Accident to the Steamer "Caledonian."

To Mark Dangerous Kelp Reef—The "Chili" Arrives at Liverpool.

The C.P.N. Company's northern freight and passenger steamer Princess Louise arrived in from Port Simpson and way ports yesterday morning with material for 7,000 boxes for canneries on the Fraser and about 20 large barrels of salted salmon shipped from the Skeena to New York by Mr. Bergow. The passengers by the Louise were, A. C. Mouat, S. Petticrew, Mrs. Carthew, R. Burgoff, S. Munson, Rev. G. W. Hopkins, Miss Ross, R. Draney and John Spencer. Before the steamer left Port Simpson preparations were being made to haul the Caledonian up on the ways for repairs. She had a trip up the Skeena, struck a rock and had two of the planks nearly knocked off her bottom. The exact amount of injury sustained is not known, not will it be until she is on the stocks. Her engineers, Messrs. Petticrew and Beeton, have given up their positions and took passage on the Louise for Victoria. On the homeward trip the Boscowitz was passed at anchor in Bella Bella. At Port Essington the steamer Muriel is on the beach being fitted up for her season's work, and the steamer Chieftain is also being got in readiness for business on the Skeena. During the voyage the Louise had splendid weather until a few days ago when it became stormy.

THE KELP REEF BEACON.

If the weather is favorable the Quadra will leave this morning, with a scow in tow, for Kelp reef, with material for the foundation of a large beacon. The beacon is to have a base 18 feet in diameter, and will be 22 feet high. It will be 16 feet above spring tides, and will be surmounted by a ball 10 feet high. At this time of year the tides are at their lowest stage, and the crew of the Quadra propose taking advantage of the situation by laying the foundation.

THE FALCON'S DANGEROUS FREIGHT.

The steamer Falcon has been engaged for the past few days removing the old powder magazine, at Cadboro Bay, to the new site, at Telegraph Bay. In addition to the machinery, etc., which is being handled the Falcon has been obliged to remove about 200 tons of powder. Telegraph Bay is six miles distant from Cadboro Bay, and is a much more isolated place, therefore making a more suitable site for the magazine.

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" Isabel	"	Port Angeles.
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" Princess Louise	"	Port Simpson.

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" Walla Walla	"	"
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Phantom	"	Becher Bay.
" Burt	"	Roche Harbor.
" Isabel	"	Port Angeles.
Schr. Lulu	"	Mud Bay.
Sloop Alpha	"	Seattle.
" Root Hog or Die	"	Roche Harbor.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamship Walla Walla arrived from the coast metropolis on Sunday night and left for the Sound yesterday morning. She brought 222 7-10 tons of freight and 43 saloon passengers for Victoria. The total number of cabin passengers on board was eighty five.

R. Draney, part owner of the new steamer Swan, has arrived down from the North, and it is expected he will arrange while here for taking the trim little tug home with him. She is almost ready for service, being nearly completed.

The Albion Iron Works' machinists will commence placing the machinery in the hull of the new steamer Transfer to day or to-morrow.

Steamer Cariboo and Fly is now on her way down from the North with a cargo of lumber from the Claxton mill, for Seattle.

The Victoria steam sealing schooner Warlock was at Nanaimo yesterday loading fuel coal at the Esplanade shaft.

British bark Chili hence with salmon cargo on December 12, has arrived in Liverpool with all well on board.

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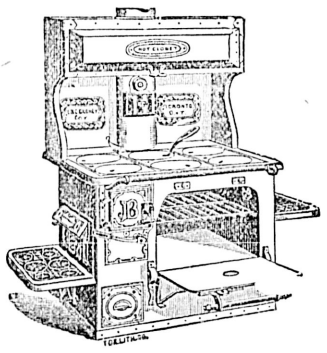

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Mr. Clive Phillipps Wolley's Experiences and Opinions in an Interview.

The Kootenay Country a Division of the Empire to be Proud of.

(London Mining Journal.)

Since we published an account of an interview with Mr. Horace J. Cannan, of Golden, British Columbia, in our columns some weeks ago, no inconsiderable amount of attention has been directed on this side to the resources and industrial possibilities of British Columbia. Mr. Cannan, it will be remembered, supplemented what appeared in our interview in a paper recently read before the Mining Section of the London Chamber of Commerce, and on that occasion our readers may recollect that one of the principal speakers in the short discussion which followed the delivery of the address was Mr. Wolley. Mr. Wolley, who has just returned to this country, has spent some years in British Columbia, and is the proprietor of The Miner, of Nelson, West Kootenay, one of the leading papers of that colony. He has had unusual facilities for obtaining correct information, and has had opportunities of verifying much that others have only had the chance of learning from hearsay.

Mr. Clive Phillipps-Wolley, who is an English barrister by profession, owns considerable agricultural property in Shropshire, and has besides a ready and fluent pen, which has already done good service in the interests of British Columbia, although his literary efforts by no means begin and end with the interests of the colony. We believe that at present he has in the Press three volumes of fiction and sport, his prospective publishers being Blackie, of Edinburgh, and Longmans, of London. He is the author of two books dealing with British Columbia—"The Trottings of a Tenderfoot," and "A Sportsman's Eden," published by Bentley. With both volumes the critics have dealt in the most appreciative spirit. Mr. Wolley was also one of the earliest travellers in the Caucasus, and we believe that the oil properties now in the hands of one of the Rothschilds (between Tiflis and the Caspian) were first drawn attention to by his work "Sport in the Crimea and the Caucasus" (Bentley and Son).

Of course it was a matter that might be taken for granted that sooner or later Mr. Wolley would gravitate towards the Mining Journal office, more particularly as we have lately interested ourselves in a somewhat prominent degree with the development of the mining and railway interests of that colony. He courteously consented to place his views at our disposal, and the following report will be read with interest:

"Well now, Mr. Wolley, what do you know of mining?"

"As a miner or engineer, nothing; as the owner and editor of the principal newspaper in West Kootenay, and as an eye-witness of the rapid development of the country in which my paper is, a good deal."

"You have, I suppose, seen the country yourself."

"Yes. In June of last year I got into miners' clothes, and tramped all through the country 'with the boys,' living in their camps, and carrying my pack with the rest."

"Why did you do this?"

"Because, as one of themselves, I thought I was more likely to get at the real truth over a pipe at night, or on the trail, than I should have been had I gone in as an ordinary newspaper man or investor in mines."

"I presume you are interested in some of these mines."

"Not to the extent of one red cent. I have an income of my own, and an occupation of my own, and have no axe to grind in Kootenay."

"Then why take the trouble to advertise the country?"

"Because, though a British Columbian by settlement, I am an Englishman first of all, and though I am perfectly aware that the Americans are excellent fellows and giants in developing a country, I am still eager to see my own countrymen get their legitimate share of the richest properties in their own colonies."

"Then you think the Americans are getting more than their share of the good things of British Columbia?"

"In mining, yes; but there are other industries—lumber, fish, fruit, hops, coal and iron, and a certain amount of cattle ranching—in which our fellows more than hold their own, and when it comes to sport none but the English are in it."

"Then sport is excellent there?"

"Too good; it tempts men who should be working to play. Workers, as a matter of fact, are somewhat scarce. Money is made too easily, and opportunities for sport are too tempting."

"How comes it that the Americans are more wide awake to the chances offered in British Columbia than the English?"

"There are several reasons: First, the Americans' favorite amusement is money getting. Most of us have got money, and hardly look on getting more as an amusement; but the more important fact is that Kootenay lies alongside Montana. Montana is the great silver field of the States, and the men of Montana have had a lifetime's experience in that particular form of silver mining which is being pursued to-day in Kootenay."

"Then it is the men of Montana who are developing the Kootenay country?"

"Exactly so. When I was in West Kootenay, in 1892, there were over 2,000 Montana miners prospecting in the Slocan and adjoining districts. These men earn wages in the winter in Montana, and spend them in the summer prospecting in our country, and their verdict, repeated to me over and over again by the camp fire, was that in thirty-five years' experience they had never seen such fine surface showing, or ore which ran richer in mineral than that of the Kootenay district."

"What moral do you want me to deduce from all this?"

"Just this: The man who knows nothing of the horses in a race may do worse than back the jockeys. The men of Montana are the most experienced silver miners, probably in the world; their experience has been acquired in a similar, but poorer, district than Kootenay—a district which adjoins Kootenay, and if these men showed by their actions that Kootenay is good enough for them, it should be proof sufficient to the English capitalist that Kootenay is good enough for him."

But, Mr. Wolley, are you not asked sometimes why if Kootenay is so rich she does not prove it by sending out shipments of her ore. When we see tons of stuff on the market we shall know what to think of you."

"Oh yes, people do talk like that sometimes, and I would like to kick them. Did you ever hear of a new mining country which had developed faster than Kootenay? Do you expect a country to begin shipping directly the prospectors are in? Don't you know that until now we have been almost without roads, railroads, smelters or capital, and yet we have shipped a good deal of ore, and paid handsomely on every shipment. Don't you see it pays a man better to let his ore lie and lose the interest upon the capital he would realise by its sale, rather than pay twice as much upon freight in '92 as he will have to pay upon freight in '93."

"Then there is hope that you will have railways built into the country in the near future?"

"They are already being built. The President of the Nelson and Fort Shepherd, which will tap the Slocan into the States, told me himself that the first train on that line would be in Nelson in the early days of next October. It is certain that the Nakusp branch of the C.P.R. will carry off its share from the same country into Canada, and the number of charters granted this year by the local House lead one to believe that these two routes will have to compete with many rivals, whilst, thanks to the energy of our Minister of Lands and Works, the Hon. Forbes Vernon, and those of his department, Kootenay's roads are already vastly improved.

"Then you have some live men in your local Parliament?"

"Yes. No province wants better men than Colonel Baker and Mr. Forbes Vernon. We have an extremely able Premier, and as strong and intelligent a Government as men need wish to invest their money under, and the people trust the Government.

"And as to smelters?"

"Of these the principal one, so far as I know, is at Pilot Bay, where some Americans (of whom Dr. Hendryx is the principal) are putting up a first rate smelter and refining plant of 100 tons capacity. My information on this point is rather ancient history now, but in June of last year they had 105 men at work at Pilot Bay; 200 tons of machinery was on its way in; $1,600 had already been spent on their wharf; and $40,000 had already been spent on developing the property. There is also, I am informed, a smelter of forty tons capacity erected at Golden, in East Kootenay, which is now in running order."

"And are men still coming into Kootenay?"

"I should think so! When I left, four weeks ago, the Canadian route from Revelstoke was not yet open, but an average of 400 men per week were coming in from Spokane on the American side."

"And are no Englishmen doing anything in Kootenay yet?"

"Certainly. One very energetic agent, a Mr. James Buxton, of Vancouver, has managed to put a good many good things in the way of his English clients—most of them men who knew him well enough in the old country to trust him in the new."

"So far you have been speaking of silver properties. Is it not true that you have valuable copper properties in your country?"

"No doubt we have copper in Kootenay. There are rich placer mines of gold on the Fraser, which are now being rapidly developed by local capital, free milling gold propositions near Nelson, and high grade minerals at Boundary Creek, but so far everything is in an initial stage. The Fairy Princess is there, but she is asleep still, waiting for the Fairy Prince Capital to come along and wake her with his kiss. As to the copper properties, it is the old story. England is the market for copper ores, and English capitalists so far have let the country severely alone. The American who is at work now in Kootenay understands silver ore and silver mining, and finds the market for the product of his mines right alongside him at Tacoma and Helena. Of course he deals with what he understands, selling in a market he knows instead of in a market of which he knows little."

"Then to sum up, Mr. Wolley, you believe in Kootenay and British Columbia?"

"Yes; you could not pay me to come back to the old country, though I have roots in it of a good many hundred years growth, unless it were to advertise to my countrymen the new country in which every man who has energy and steadiness has a chance of helping in building up a new division of the empire of which the old country may well be proud. With us law is strong, and growth visible to the naked eye. Here one only hears of falling rents and the damnable results of party politics gone mad."

Since our interview with Mr. Phillipps-Wolley we have been also favored with a call from Colonel Baker, minister of mines for British Columbia, who has also been kind enough to allow himself to be interviewed on behalf of the readers of The Mining Journal. Our report of this most interesting interview with Colonel Baker will be published next week, and will further emphasize much that has already appeared in these columns as to the great mining and industrial future which is opening up for British Columbia.

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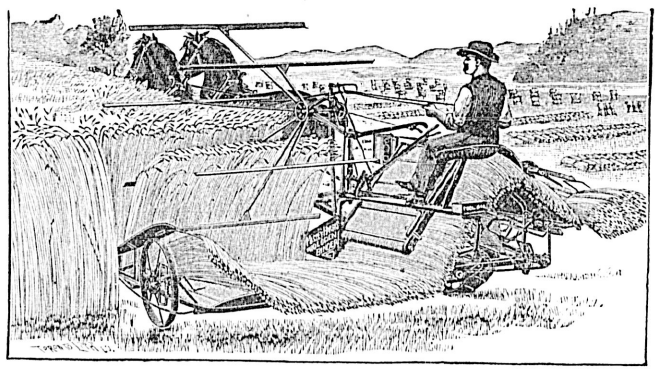

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W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator.
CHAS. T. RUSSELL.

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TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th June next, for the following work at the Artillery Barracks, Work Point: Grading, metalling and gravelling roads and parade ground, construction of crib work to protect water front.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. G. HOLMES, Lieut.-Col., R.C.A.

Commandant's office, June 10, 1893. je11-6t

NOTICE.

SITES WANTED.

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Proposals must state dimensions of land, location, and the lowest cash price.

B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., June 7 1893. je8

Notice to Contractors, Builders, Etc.

Tenders will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Wednesday, the 21st June instant, for executing Minor Works and Repairs at the Naval Establishments at Esquimalt.

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Tenders to be endorsed "Works" and addressed to the undersigned.

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JAMES H. INNES, Naval Storekeeper, Etc.

Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 7th June, 1893. je7 td

Provincial Gaol at Victoria.

Tenders, endorsed "Gaol Supplies," for the supply of Bread, Beef, Groceries, Clothing and Coal, for the use of the said institution, from the 1st of July next, to the 30th of June, 1894, will be received by the undersigned, up to Monday, the 26th June. Samples of Groceries, Clothing, etc., can be seen at the Gaol, Topaz avenue. Tenders to state price of Coal per ton of 2,000 pounds. All supplies to be delivered at the Gaol as required, without extra charge.

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F. S. HUSSEY, Supt. Prov. Police and Warden of Gaols.

June 5, 1893. je6 td

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Lists of the articles required can be seen at this office, and at the Asylum, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE, Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, 22nd May, 1893. my24

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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1893.

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Kamloops.....Monday.....2nd October.
Lytton.....Monday.....9th October.
N. Westminster..Wednesday..8th November.
Vancouver.....Wednesday.15th November.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria.....Monday.....27th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....5th December.

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CITY OF VICTORIA.

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1893 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of JUNE, A.D.1893, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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CO-OPERATION IN ENGLAND.

Seven hundred delegates from the different co-operative organizations of Great Britain and Ireland, met at Bristol on the 25th of last month, to report progress and to take counsel with each other as to the future. Co-operation has done, and is doing, a good deal in Great Britain. The dealings of the co-operative concerns amount in the aggregate to fifty million pounds sterling, and there were distributed among their members last year, profits to the amount of about five millions. The property owned by the co-operative societies is valued at twelve millions sterling. The membership of these societies is, in round numbers, three quarters of a million.

But it has not been all smooth sailing with the co operative societies. Between 1874 and 1892 no fewer than seventy-four have been dissolved, and abuses have crept into others which are the cause of grievous complaints.

Productive co-operation has not progressed at anything like the same rate as distributive co-operation. Yet it is on productive co-operation that the advocates of co operation have built their hopes. Few comparatively under any system can be engaged in distributing commodities. The great mass of workers is engaged in producing them. What, then, the friends of the working classes desired to see established were numbers of industrial concerns on the co-operative principle. Some have been established and are doing fairly well, but others have failed grievously, and there does not appear, at the present moment, any prospect of the principle of co-operation being applied at all extensively to the work of production.

Some of the wholesale co-operative establishments are however, themselves producing some of the commodities that they sell. But their workshops and factories are not operated on the co-operative principle. Far from it. These co-operative concerns are bound to get as much labor out of their work people for as little money as they possibly can. They produce on principles that are strictly commercial. They pay low wages and they exact long hours. No fewer than one hundred and sixty-one societies admitted that they kept open from seventy to eighty hours a week, and the wages of all but the managers were low. One member told the Congress that "the hours of co operative employers were infinitely longer than dockers' hours, and the wages were smaller; and the President stated that the Co-operative Insurance Company of Manchester had in some instances been unable to become guarantors of co-operative employes, because it was felt that it 'was simply impossible for men to be honest on such pay.'"

It is probable that the stockholders of these societies, themselves working men, acquiesced in the treatment of the employes, as it tended to increase their own dividends. But the advocates of co-operation at the Congress saw and deplored the inconsistency of workingmen's work-people in a co-operative concern being ground down more remorselessly, both as to wages and hours, than the work-people of "bloated capitalists." But there is this to be said for these co-operative associations that have gone into the producing business. They have been competitors in the manufacturers outside. If they cannot produce and sell their commodities as cheaply and of as good a quality as individual manufacturers and shopkeepers they will be certain to lose their trade, for the unionist workingman, although he believes in selling his labor in the dearest market, also believes in buying what he uses in the cheapest. He will not, for instance, pay the co-operative association five shillings for an article that he can get from an ordinary shop keeper for four. This determination to buy in the cheapest market, in spite of every other consideration, was lamented by some of the speakers at the co-operative convention. But no one seemed to think that workingmen could be expected to make sacrifices to keep up co-operative producing concerns. The conclusion that is to be drawn from the speeches made at the Bristol conference, is that there is very little prospect of the principle of co-operation being applied to any considerable extent to the work of production. So dark is the outlook, indeed, that very few have any hope of its being generally adopted without the interference of the state. State socialism is evidently gaining ground among intelligent workingmen in Great Britain as well as on the Continent. But its unsoundness and impracticability are certain to be demonstrated sooner or later.

THE GERMAN ELECTIONS.

The German elections take place on Tuesday. The Germans, by all accounts, are preparing to make a liberal use of their privileges. There appears to be almost as much politics to the square mile in Germany as there is in any part of the Dominion of Canada. There are four times as many candidates as there are seats, and it is a hopeless task to try to enumerate the factions into which the political world of the German Empire is divided.

Although the politicians are so busy and so excited, those who have the greatest interest in the contest appear to be quite undisturbed. The people of Germany seem to be taking things very easy. They evidently do not sympathize very deeply with the politicians of any of the parties and subparties, if we except the Socialists. These last are on the alert, and appear determined to make the most of the divisions of parties to increase their own strength. They are united, too. They do not allow ambitious members to foment divisions, and they do not waste their strength or lessen their influence by quarrelling among themselves. They expect to nearly, if not quite, double their strength in the next Parliament.

The Opposition to the Emperor's policy does not seem nearly so strong in the country as it was in the Reichstag. The people who will have to bear the burdens and suffer the hardships of the proposed increase of the army, do not seem appalled at the prospect. They are certainly not angry with the Emperor for having made the demand. He is more popular than ever he was, and wherever he goes, he cannot but see that he is loved and admired by his subjects. Of course it would be folly at this distance to venture a prediction as to the probable result of the elections. But we would not be surprised, in the conflict of parties, to see the Emperor come out victorious. He, at any rate, does not appear to be the least disturbed. He acts in every way as if it were a matter of perfect indifference to him what may be the result of the elections. His Government is not interfering in the contest in any way. The people are, to all appearance, left to do exactly as they please. The complete neutrality of the Government in an election contest is a new thing in Germany. Bismarck could not keep quiet while an appeal to the people was going on. He had his emissaries out in all directions, fighting and intriguing for the men he favored. And his policy was in these days generally successful—Would it succeed now? At any rate the Emperor and his Chancellor have not adopted Bismarck's election policy, nor imitated his election tactics. The Government is apparently exerting no influence, and as a consequence the people take but a very mild interest in the struggle.

MYSTERIES OF CRIME.

The trial of Lizzie Borden for the murder of her father and step-mother has been going on for some time and it is really astonishing how little evidence the prosecution has been able to produce to show who committed those atrocious murders. It will be remembered that Mr. and Mrs. Borden were murdered in broad daylight, in a house situated on a crowded thoroughfare. Besides the murdered man and woman there were two girls in the house. One of them was Lizzie Borden, and the other Margaret Sullivan, the servant girl. Although working in the house, this girl saw nothing and heard nothing that alarmed her or aroused her suspicions during the time in which the murders must have been committed.

The murderer left no track behind him or her. When the alarm was given by Lizzie Borden her dress was not in the slightest degree disarranged. And there was but one spot on it that looked like blood. There is something said about her burning a dress in the stove after the murder, but there is nothing to show that she wore the dress on the day of the murder, or that there were blood stains upon it. Axes and a hatchet were found in the cellar, but none of them showed signs of having been used in hacking a man and a woman to death. The hatchet with a broken handle was thought to have afforded a clue. It is suggested that the wounds, when measured, show that they might have been made by the hatchet wielded by a strong and determined person. But the part of the handle broken off has not been found on the premises, though it has been diligently searched for, and certainly the murders could not have been committed with a handleless hatchet. The evidence of the girl Sullivan, who seems an intelligent, well-meaning person, is by itself of no significance whatever. All that she proved was that Lizzie was in the house both before and after the murder was committed. It must be remembered that after the alarm was given, which could not have been many minutes after Mr. and Mrs. Borden were killed, the house was full of people, and the murderer had no chance to conceal or destroy any evidence of the crime that might have existed. The murders were committed in August last, so the authorities have had ample time to make enquiries and to collect evidence. They have, no doubt, not been idle in the interval, but it is really astonishing to see how little they have found in the way of evidence to criminate Lizzie Borden or anyone else. It seems to us, and we have read the reports of the trial carefully, that nothing more is known as to who the murderer of Mr. and Mrs. Borden is, to-day, than was the day after the horrible deed was perpetrated. Will it always remain a mystery.

The murder of Mr. Edy, Mrs. Edy, and their daughter Emma Lucretia Edy, in the parish of St. George de Clarenceville, in the Province of Quebec, bids fair to be as great a mystery as is that of Mr. and Mrs. Borden. A neighbor who lived near the dwelling of the Edys, early on the morning of the 3rd inst., saw smoke issuing from the summer kitchen of Edy's house. He went to arouse the inmates, but, looking through the window of Mr. Edy's bedchamber, he saw that he was not in bed. He then broke into the house, and found Mr. Edy sitting in his chair, with all his clothes on, dead. He also found the bodies of Mrs. and Miss Edy. Mr. Edy had been shot through the head and chest. Mrs. Edy had also been shot. Her throat, too, was cut. Miss Edy had evidently been clubbed to death. Who committed these fiendish murders, or for what purpose, it is impossible to say. The detectives are at work, but they do not seem to have a single clue to start from. The Edys were a respectable, inoffensive family, living in a quiet country place. Clarenceville seems to be the last place in the world where it might be expected that a murder would be committed. The circumstances under which these horrible crimes were committed were altogether different. One was perpetrated late in the morning in a busy city, where it might be expected secrecy would be an absolute impossibility, and the other was committed in a quiet country place, in an isolated dwelling, sometime between dark and bed time. Yet the difficulty of finding out and bringing to justice the criminal or criminals appears to be as great in the one case as in the other. It is also to be observed that there is no indication that hardened criminals had anything to do with either murder. The murder of the Bordens, assuming it to have been committed by professional burglars, was absolutely purposeless, and no one would dream that a possible fiendish murderer would be found among the simple and apparently innocent residents of a rural parish in the Province of Quebec.

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L Campbell, R. S. oc15

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THE CITY.

The Board of Licensing Commissioners meet to-morrow at 10 a.m.

An important meeting of the Public School Board is called for to-morrow evening.

A meeting of the creditors in the estate of Munroe Miller is called for Thursday at 11 a.m.

Fire at Port Simpson recently destroyed four Indian houses and badly damaged a fifth. Fishing had commenced on the Skeena when the Louise left.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin will meet the congregation of St. John's and receive their welcome at a garden party to be held at the Rectory to-morrow afternoon.

L. C. Ashworth, an "inspirational orator," addressed the B. C. Society of Spiritualists at Sir William Wallace hall, Sunday evening, on "What is Spiritualism."

The motion for permanent alimony in the case of Russell v. Russell is again adjourned, owing to the absence of Mr. Justice Crease, who is presiding at the Nanaimo Assizes.

A reception is to be tendered to Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin, in the public schoolhouse, on the conclusion of the consecration service at St. Mark's, on Thursday, June 22. An address of welcome will be presented, and an interesting reply is looked for.

Nineteen boxes of fruit, chiefly pineapples and oranges, have been received by the department of agriculture from the department of agriculture at Brisbane—in first class condition. A portion of the consignment goes forward to Ottawa to-day.

Divisional Court was to have sat yesterday, to hear an appeal in the case of Clarke v. Enolt. Owing to the absence of so many of the judges, the sitting was adjourned *sine die.* In the meantime, all proceedings in the case named have been stayed.

Three drunks were disposed of by the police magistrate yesterday, a charge of petty larceny was dismissed, and two Chinese assault cases were remanded until to-morrow. Sang Wah was fined $15 and ordered to pay his $15 license fee, with $2.50 costs. In default one month.

Supt. Sheppard has received a letter from John M. Kirk, of the Mutual Loan & Investment Co., Montreal, inquiring for further particulars in the case of the strange deaths of J. G. and Andrew Kirk. The Chief is unable at present to give any further information than has already been published.

Sheriff Warfield, of Merced County, California, is expected to arrive this evening with the requisition from Governor Markham in the case of Rev. A. R Reams, who is now an occupant of the Provincial jail. Whether the sheriff will get his man remains to be seen. Miss Rucker will await developments and make her plans accordingly.

A very important sale of city and country real estate takes place to-day at the Merchants room of the Board of Trade building, commencing at noon. Mr. Joshua Davies will then sell by auction a number of valuable properties, described in the advertising columns of this paper, and more fully in the handsome catalogues issued by Mr. Davies and to be obtained at his office.

The case of King v. Paulson et al, is set for trial in the Supreme court to-day before a judge without a jury. The action is to recover the sum of $5,499 55, alleged to be due the plaintiff for surveying and locating 6,229 acres of land at 65 cents per acre, 1,568 acres at 40 cents, and 3,390 acres at 25 cents. The defence is that in the first place the plaintiff was not employed by the defendants, and in the second place that the land located was in the Island railway belt and has not been granted to the defendants, nor can such grant be obtained. Also in the alternative that if King should be found to have been employed as alleged, that he was to get no pay for land cruised until the Crown grant should have been issued to defendants. S. Perry Mills for plaintiff; Eberts & Taylor for defendants.

Ex-Alderman John Hall, who was a fellow-passenger by the Aurania with the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen to England a fortnight ago, writes as follows to a friend in Victoria: "I had a chat with the Earl of Aberdeen, the future Governor General of Canada, on the way over. He goes out again in September to take office. He is greatly interested in the progress of the Pacific Province, and is going in for a jam factory in connection with his ranch at Vernon. I told him of the work of the Okell & Morris Fruit Preserving Co., and he seemed very much imterested. I also showed him the lithograph of the new Parliament buildings which was issued as a supplement to the Colonist. He was greatly pleased with the design of the buildings and the picture as a sample of our lithographic art. He is of the opinion that Victoria should and will remain the Capital.'

Mr. E. Hutcherson, Inspector of Horticulture, has issued the following circular to the public: "I have the honor to call your attention to the Act cited as the 'Horticultural Board Act, 1892,' of the Province of British Columbia, said Board being now ready to carry out the provisions of the law for which the Board was created. As it is impossible for the inspector to visit every orchard or every locality, and not desiring to use up the appropriation by useless travel, we ask for your co-operation and kind assistance. It should be the pride of every orchardist, if ever so small, to produce the best fruit possible, and in order to accomplish this we must exterminate the pests now infesting our orchards. Should there be any pest-breeding orchards in your neighborhood I kindly ask you to inform me that I may visit the same and counsel with the owners as to the best method of destroying the pests and restoring their orchards to health and vigor, thus redeeming the good name we have so long enjoyed as the producers of the very best of fruits. I would especially call your attention to clause 9 of the Act respecting trees, plants and fruits being imported into the Province from suspected localities. The same must be inspected before being distributed."

Regular class work is continued in all the divisions of the Boys' Central school. Parents are requested to see that their boys attend.

Special services in commemoration of St. Barnabas day were held in the church of that name on Sunday, the Bishop preaching in the evening.

The benefit concert, to assist Mr. Joseph Philo in continuing his musical studies in Europe, takes place this evening at the Institute hall, and it is hoped that those who have so often heard this talented young violinist on occasions when he has freely volunteered his services, will show their appreciation by attendance in large numbers.

Professor James Macoun and party, who have made their headquarters out on the Burnside road, while collecting specimens of the fauna and flora of British Columbia, leaves for Comox by the steamer Joan to-day. In this southern section of Vancouver Island over 1,000 plant specimens, of every variety, have been secured, with over 200 specimens of birds, more than 100 species.

The incoming Empress of Japan was reported by mistake, yesterday afternoon, as sighted off Carmanah Point. Soon after 7 o'clock the Islander, which had been secured as tender, left the inner harbor with the C. P. R officials, customs officers, hotel men and others interested. Arrived at the outer wharf she made fast there, but it was half an hour later when the mistake was discovered. The Empress had not been sighted when the Colonist went to press.

The absentees from the march-out of the B.C.G.A. on the previous Monday, were paraded last evening before Col. Prior, who pressed upon them the necessity of every man turning out regularly if the battalion is to be kept up to a proper standard. A couple of members, who have no excuse to offer for their absence, will be ordered to send in their uniforms No. 4 Company drilled last evening, and to-night No. 2 Company will parade. It is hoped there will be a large attendance, as matters in connection with the Dominion Day trip will be discussed.

The largest congregation assembled in Victoria on Sunday evening was at the theatre, for which place a "religious illustrated lecture on Spiritualism and Theosophy, by the English spiritual mediums" had been advertised. The house was well filled, but there was nothing else satisfactory about the business. The "English spiritual mediums" were called Dr. and Eva Eddy. The lady was recognized as one who had already very acceptably filled roles far other than spiritual in entertainment halls in this city, and the "Dr." showed little familiarity with either English or the business of mediums. He carefully explained that he did not profess to do anything by spiritual power, but the explanation was not necessary. His repertoire proved very limited. There was the slate writing delusion, performed with a slate having a double bottom; the cabinet trick, in which the lady slips loose from her bonds while the curtain is drawn; the reading of questions placed in envelopes, after the envelope is opened, though the spectators are first led to believe otherwise; the naming of coins through clues furnished in the questions; and the table moving by means of hooks fastened to the clothing of the mediums. This was the whole programme, very clumsily performed, and all as transparent as possible, except the cabinet act, which puzzled even the committee of four citizens named by the audience to sit upon the stage and superintend operations. The show was in no feature according to the advertisement, and had not the semblance of a religious performance.

PERSONAL.

W. H. Redmond is back from the East.

Captain Glaholm, of Nanaimo, is at the Oriental.

Mrs. Landes has returned to Port Townsend.

C D. Rand, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Driard.

Superintendent F. S. Hussey is back from Kootenay.

Steve Munson and R. Draney are down from the North.

U. S. Senator and Mrs. C. W. Ide are at the Balmoral.

E. E Blackwood and wife are back from the Sound.

I. B. Fisher came over from New Westminster yesterday evening.

O. D Ridder and Percy Howell, of Oakland, Cal., are at the Victoria.

T. E. Ladner and E. Soule were passengers by the Rithet last evening.

Walter Planta, of Nanaimo, is in the city, registered at the Oriental.

Robert Crease and George Malcom, of Seattle, are registered at the Victoria.

E. V. Bodwell, of Bodwell & Irving, returned on Sunday evening from the Sound.

John Hall and wife and Miss Eda Newbury reached Liverpool by the Cunard liner Aurania on May 28

Rev. Coverdale Watson preached his farewell sermons at the Metropolitan Methodist church on Sunday last.

Rev. G. W. Hopkins arrived from the North by the Princess Louise yesterday, and will leave in a day or so for Chicago.

Mrs. (Sheriff) Redgrave, of Donald, and Miss Redgrave, have gone to Southern California. Mrs. Redgrave is much improved in health.

Wm. Caldwell, the well known lumberman of Lanark, Ont., arrived on Sunday, to spend some time in Victoria. He is accompanied by his wife and children. They are staying at the Driard.

Col. H. F. W. Behnsen and Post Captain Stroud L. Redgrave left on the Islander this morning to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge K. of P., which convenes in New Westminster to-day.

Registered at the Dallas yesterday were James Sclater, R. Robinson and James Harris, Vancouver; Miss Bouthers and Miss Wilson, San Francisco; Miss Gompertz, Berkely, Cal.; Mrs. Gordon, San Francisco; Miss Norton and Miss Nellie Gilmore, Fresno, California; C. M. and Mrs Kilbourne and Miss E. A. Stillman, Selem, Cal.; and J. F. Chase and wife, San Francisco.

Doctors? Pshaw! Take Beecham's Pills.

THE MAYOR SHOULD SIGN.

Resolution Passed by the Council that Contractor McBean be Settled With

J. G. Brown Gets the Contract for the Isolation Hospital—Mr. Mohun Dismissed.

The regular weekly meeting of the City Council was held last evening, Mayor Beaven presiding.

After routine business, tenders for the erection of the isolation hospital were opened and the Council adjourned to the committee room to consider them with the architect, Mr. Ridgway Wilson. The tenders ranged from $21,900 to $25,800, the lowest being that of John G. Brown, who was awarded the contract. It was decided, however, not to put up the administration building, owing to the lack of funds. Mr. Brown's tender was as follows:

Clearing, draining, fencing and main water supply	$ 1,326
Double ward block and sewerage tank	9,436
Single ward cottage	1,794
Disinfecting house, morgue and laundry	2,264
Total	$14,820

Mr. Brown's tender for the administration building was $7,080. The buildings it has beend ecided to put up will probably be sufficient for present purposes, but next year, if funds will permit, another double ward building will be added, and a couple more cottages besides the administration building.

Ald. McKillican moved, seconded by Ald. Munn, that the tender of J. G Brown be accepted, and the contract signed. This resolution carried.

The Finance committee reported, recommending the appropriation of $14,820 for Board of Health purposes, and $1,600 for the Old Mens' Home, fencing and repairing the Ross Bay buildings. They also recommended payment of accounts amounting to $975 02.

Ald. Munn drew attention to an item in the Finance committee's report for the keep of a prisoner who was sentenced to a term of six months.

Ald. Belyea explained that there was an arrangement between the city and the Gouernment by which prisoners who got thirty days were kept at the city lock-up, and those who got over that went to the Provincial jail, where the city paid for their board.

The report of the committee was adopted.

The Old Men's Home committee recommended that tenders be invited to repair the Ross Bay building known as the Johnson House, so as to make it habitable. The report was adopted.

The Finance committee recommended that the communication of the B. C. Terra Cotta Company be forwarded to the Sewerage Commissioners and the Sanitary Engineer to report what sum, if any, is due under the contract.

Ald. Belyea thought the Sewerage Commissioners and Mr. Mohun would know no more about this matter than the Council, the contract having been made with the Corporation.

The report was adopted.

The Finance committee reported that Hon D. W. Higgins, president of the Tramway Company, had promised to convey "C" Battery band to Beacon Hill park on Saturday afternoons free of charge.

The report was adopted, with a rider thanking the Tramway Co. for their kind offer.

The Street committee reported having let the contract for furnishing teams for the street sprinkler to the Transfer Co., one team at $4 per day, and Geo. Lindsay, one team at $4 50 per day.

The Sewerage committee forwarded the following communications from Sanitary Engineer Mohun:

Victoria, June 8, 1893.

Ald. Belyea, Chairman of the Sewerage Committee.

Sir,—I beg to call your attention, as chairman of the Sewerage committee, to the facts following:

1. That very serious charges have been made by Ald. Baker, at various times, most injuriously affecting my reputation.

2. That on the 1st inst I handed a letter to the City Clerk, addressed to the Council, calling attention to these charges, and requesting an investigation.

3 That there have been three meetings of the Council since my letter was handed in, and no notice has been taken of it.

4. That in the public interest it is of great importance that the matter should be fully investigated, as if these charges are true, I am unfit for my position; while, if they are false, the sooner the public knows and comprehends the course adopted by Ald Baker, the better it will be for the general welfare.

Your obedient servant,
(Sd) Edward Mohun.

City Hall, May 31, 1893.

His Worship the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—I beg most respectfully to call your attention to the report of your meeting of the previous evening, published in the Colonist of the 23rd instant

Trusting that some of the alleged statements attributed to the Aldermen had arisen from a misapprehension on the part of the reporter, I had hoped to have seen them contradicted before this, but as they have gone to the public without such contradiction, and as they contain very serious reflections, both upon the Commissioners and myself, I must respectfully request that I may be permitted to reply to them in the only manner open to me.

In the first place, most emphatically deny that, either in January or at any other time, I gave Alderman Baker to understand that any alteration was proposed in the View street sewer *unless it was found necessary at the expiration of the term of maintenance*

My reports of the 26th October 1892, the 6th January, the 23d January, and 11th May, which have all been before your honorable Board, point without exception to this conclusion.

The reported statement "that the sewer was below level, so that the water ran up hill instead of down hill," no one knows better than Alderman Baker, is a statement not only without foundation but is diametrically opposed to the real state of the case; Alderman Baker knows that the examinations made by myself and the City Engineer during the last few months, have proved that there is "a continuous, though not quite uniform, fall" throughout the sewer.

In the opinion of competent judges, it is unnecessary to alter the sewer on the ground of efficiency, and it is inexpedient to do so in the interests of the city.

As there appears to be doubt still in the minds of some of the aldermen as to the cost of the repairs, and by whom it was paid, I beg to state that every dollar which has been paid for repairs has been paid by the contractor.

Further, before the Contractor's certificate was signed, the amount due by him to the City was paid.

Alderman Baker further remarked "that instead of the City having an engineer to look after its interests, the Contractor had the Engineer, and that man's name was Edward Mohun" There is but one deduction to be drawn from such a remark, and that is that I was, or am, in the pay of the Contractor, and have defrauded the City. Such a statement is entirely without foundation; and I must emphatically deny that there is the faintest shadow of truth in, or the least ground for, any such charge or insinuation.

I think gentlemen, I have a right to demand a thorough investigation before a competent and impartial tribunal in all or any matters connected with the sewerage, and I respectfully request that the matter be referred for inquiry to some competent and entirely disinterested commissioner.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) Edward Mohun.

Ald. Baker had his opinion—

Ald. Belyea—Are you going to make a motion?

Ald. Baker—I don't know that its any of your business.

Ald. Belyea—Well, if you are not going to make a motion I will do so, so that you can talk in order.

Ald Baker objected to Ald. Belyea's "interference" and, being allowed to proceed, said he would not take back anything he had said but had failed to see what Mr. Mohun had to kick about. He would like to see a complete investigation that would go into the estimate sheets, work done, pipes, and everything of the kind. Then some more things that the Council knew nothing about would be discovered, for instance that a number of pipes were still broken. He had said, and he would not take it back, that Mohun looked more like an engineer for the contractor than for the city. He wanted a full investigation under oath. He had heard that the contractor's price was so much per yard for surface rock, and that he got paid for it right down ten or eleven feet, notwithstanding that a good deal of the work was earth excavation. This made the contractor get a very large amount of money to which he was not entitled.

Ald Beltea moved that the report be received and the communication referred to a select committee to report whether it would be advisable to go into a formal investigation or not.

Ald Bragg—What committee do you intend to put on that?

Ald. Belyea—I intend to put on Ald. Baker, Bragg and Styles. (Laughter.)

Ald Bragg had no doubt if Ald. Baker had made any statements about Engineer Mohun, which were not right, Mr. Mohun had a remedy at law. He moved in amendment that the communication be received and filed. If Mr. Mohun had any grievance let him get redress some other way.

Ald. Styles wanted an investigation into the whole of the sewerage work from the commencement to the end.

Ald. Baker agreed He wanted commissioners, contractor sanitary engineer and everyone, to go under oath and be examined. He would go further than he had ever gone yet, and say that the sanitary engineer did not want any investigation into the sewers.

Ald. Belyea explained that he did not want an investigation into anything Ald. Baker said, as everyone who knew anything knew that Ald. Baker was half of the time talking to the galleries and did not mean what he said, nor did he intend anyone to believe it (laughter). He did not see why this Council should involve itself in an investigation that could do no good and would only be a waste of time and money.

Ald. Henderson did not much wonder that Mr. Mohun wanted some expression of the Council as to his work, for week after week insinuations and inuendoes had been thrown out against him, and he must necessarily be injured professionally by them. Mr. Mohun was quite right in asking for an investigation. He thought members of the Council would freely vote for a motion upholding Mr. Mohun—even those who had said most.

Ald. Baker said he was not going to send any apology to Mr. Mohun, as he had not said a single word he was sorry for, and he had not even said half of what he wanted to. Just let this matter stand over until next week, and he would put a motion on the board which would let the public see whether all these aldermen were anxious to uphold the rights of the people or not.

Ald. Henderson was only surprised that Mr. Mohun had not resented the insinuations thrown out long before he did. From what had been said, he (Ald. Henderson) had been led to believe there was something much more serious behind it all than was now known.

Ald. Belyea's motion was carried unanimously, Ald. Baker not voting.

One solitary tender for cutting grass on Beacon Hill park was received. It was received from W. J. Clarke offering $77.

Ald. Henderson—By whose authority were those tenders called for?

Ald. McTavish—City Engineer and Park committee.

Ald. Henderson thought the method of calling for tenders was irregular. He suggested that the tender be returned and new ones called for.

The Mayor thought the proceeding was all right and the tender was accepted.

A letter was read from Alex. Maclean *re* the Old Men's Home. Referred to the committee.

Ald. Belyea moved, seconded by Ald. McTavish, that in the opinion of this Council the Mayor ought to counsersign the check in final payment of the sewerage contractor, Alexander McBean, as per the final certificate of the engineer and commissioners.

Ald. Belyea explained that this motion was to remove any doubt the Mayor might have as to the opinion of the Council in the matter. The Mayor had been given express authority to sign the check in the Sewerage Commissioners' by-law.

The motion was carried on the following division:

Ayes—Ald. Munn, McTavish, Belyea and McKillican—5.

Nays—Ald. Baker, Bragg and Styles—3.

Ald. Belyea moved, seconded by Ald. McKillican, that it is advisable to carry out the work of constructing and completing the sewerage system of this municipality by means of a special rate for local improvements, to be assessed, levied and collected upon real property benefitted thereby."

Ald. Styles thought the sewers should be built out of the general revenue, a little being done every year.

The Mayor thought the general concensus of opinion was that the connections should now be made and the sewers now down tested before any more work were undertaken. Something might be done in the business portion of the city, but not elsewhere.

Ald. Munn was also of opinion that the sewerage connections should be made first, and he agreed that something should be done in the business portion of the city.

Ald. Henderson drew attention to the fact that the people would have to be asked for their opinion before anything could be carried out under the local improvement system.

Ald McKillican—The people want to know what the Council is going to do about sewerage, and here when we bring up a motion like this, the Council itself is divided. How can we expect the people to be unanimous when the Council does not agree?

The Mayor thought the motion was too sweeping.

Ald. Belyea replied that the resolution was drafted in exact accordance with the statute and its passage only committed the Council to the principle. When the actual work came in, a section of the city or several sections could be laid off to have the work done.

The motion was lost, Ald. Belyea, Henderson and McTavish, being the only ones to vote for it.

Ald. Bragg moved, seconded by Ald. Munn: That whereas there are no funds at the disposal of the Council, the services of Mr. E. Mohun, sanitary engineer, be dispensed with.

Ald. McTavish thought the motion ill-advised, more especially at this time when Mr. Mohun had asked for an investigation into certain charges against him. He suggested that the motion lie over for a short time.

Ald. Munn consented. He did not think there was any sense in abusing Mr. Mohun night after night. If his services were not needed, better tell him so and let him go. Judging from experiences in the past, there would be nothing but waste of money in the future. The people had said they did not want sewers and there was no use continuing a servant who was not needed, although he had personally no complaint against Mr. Mohun and had never said one word agains this professional character.

Ald Henderson wanted to find out before Mr. Mohun was let go, what contract there was with him? There was no work for Mr. Mohun to do, and the Council had to-night refused to adopt the only course that would give him work, therefore the only thing to do was to discharge him, unless there was a contract. He moved in amendment that the motion lie on the table.

Ald. Bragg spoke for fifteen minutes, and in winding up said he didn't think Ald. McTavish had acted honestly in this matter.

Ald. McTavish—Order!

The Mayor—I want you to understand that you cannot use any such language as that while I am in the chair.

Ald Bragg withdrew his language, saying instead that some of the aldermen "acted with a peculiar twist."

Ald. Belyea said it was clear the majority of this Council had decided not to go on with the sewerage work, and it was also clear their vote on that question would be the vote on this. Mr. Mohun had been engaged by the City at $250 per month, and behind that there was a clear agreement as to what the $250 a month was in lieu of. The Council had decided not to adopt the only course now open to it to continue the sewerage work, and in view of that he had taken a step, of which the Council would be apprised—otherwise he could not do. He proposed to vote against the motion, on the ground that Mr. Mohun's position should not be taken away from him in that manner.

The amendment was lost and the original motion carried, on the following division, the Mayor casting his vote:

Ayes—Ald. Baker, Bragg, Styles and Munn.

Nays—Ald. McKillican, Belyea, Henderson and McTavish.

The following committee was appointed to deal with Mr. Mohun's letters, viz: Ald. McTavish, Henderson and Bragg.

The Council adjourned at 12 p.m.

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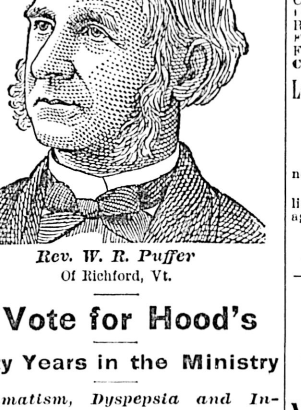

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James Charles Prevost, Harriet Jane (formerly Harriet McNeill), Rebecca Baker (formerly Rebecca McNeill), Hamilton Moffatt and Lucy Moffatt Ha[illegible] (his wife), Matilda Jesse and Fanny Young. Plaintiffs,

AND

Donald Henry McN[illegible]ll, Alfred McNeill (the younger), George Fred[illegible]ill, Ederick McNeill, William M[illegible] Anward Hamilton McNeill, James Andrew McNeill, Lucy Margaret Clifford (formerly Lucy Margaret McNeill), Matilda Rebecca Carter (formerly Matilda Rebecca McNeill), Helen Fanny McNeill (an infant), Alfred McNeill (the elder) and Mary McNeill Defendants.

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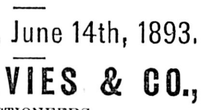

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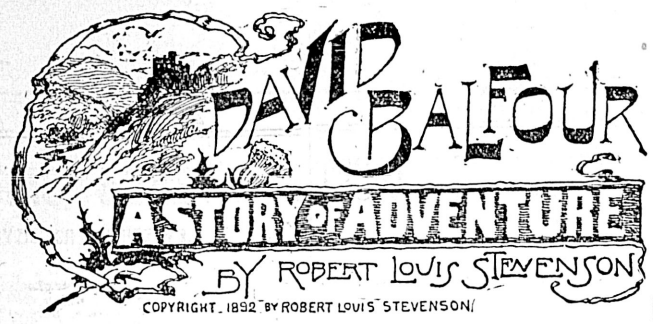
Victoria, May 30, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the corner of Government and John streets, Victoria, B.C., to George E. Smith, of this city.

H. E. WARD.
Dated this 10th day of April, 1893. ap11-30t



CHAPTER XV.

THE MISSING WITNESS.

The ride to Inverary.

On the 17th, the day I was trysted with the writer, I had much rebellion against fate. The thought of him waiting in the King's Arms and of what he would think and what he would say when next we met tormented and oppressed me. The truth was unbelievable, so much I had to grant, and it seemed cruel, hard I should be posted as a liar and a coward and have never consciously omitted what it was possible that I should do. I repeated this form of words with a kind of bitter relish and re-examined in that light the steps of my behavior. It seemed that I had behaved to James Stewart as a brother might; all the past was a picture to be proud of, and there was only the present to consider. I could not swim the sea, nor yet fly the air, but there was always Andie. I had done him a service—he liked me. I had a lever there to work on; if it were just for decency, I must try once more with Andie.

It was late afternoon; there was no sound in all the Bass but the lap and bubble of a very quiet sea, and my four companions were all crept apart, the four Macgregors higher on the rock, and Andie with his Bible to a sunny place among the ruins. There I found him in deep sleep, and as soon as he was awake appealed to him with some fervor of manner and a good show of argument.

"If I thoucht it was to do guid to ye. Shaws!" said he, staring at me over his spectacles.

"It's to save another," said I, "and to redeem my word. What would be more good than that? Do ye no moind the Scripture, Andie? And you with the book upon your lap? 'What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world?'"

"Aye," said he, "that's grand for you. But where do I come in? I have my word to redeem the same's yoursel'. And what are ye asking me to do but just to sell it ye for siller."

"Andie, have I named the name of siller?" said I.

"Ou, the name's naething," said he; "the thing is there, whatever. It just comes to this: If I am to service ye the way that you propose, I'll lose my liflihood. Then it's clear ye'll have to make it up to me, and a pickle mair, for your ain creditlike. And what's that but just a bribe? And if ever I was certain of the bribe! But by a' that I can learn it's far frae that, and if you were to hang where would I be? Na, the thing's no possible. And just awa' wi' ye, like a bonny lad, and let Andie read his chapter."

I remember I was at bottom a good deal gratified with this result, and the next humor I fell into was one (I had near said) of gratitude to Prestongrange, who had saved me, in his violent, illegal manner, out of the midst of my dangers, temptations and perplexities. But this was both too flimsy and too cowardly to last me long, and the remembrance of James began to succeed to the possession of my spirits. The 21st—the day set for the trial—I passed in such misery of mind as I can scarce recall to have endured. Much of the time I lay on a braeside betwixt sleep and waking, my body motionless, my mind full of violent thoughts. Sometimes I slept indeed, but the courthouse of Inverary and the prisoner glancing on all sides to find his missing witness followed me in slumber, and I would wake again with a start to darkness of spirit and distress of body. I thought Andie seemed to observe me, but I paid him little heed. Verily, my bread was bitter to me and my days a burthen.

Early the next morning (Friday, 22d) a boat came with provisions, and Andie placed a packet in my hand. The cover was without address, but sealed with a government seal. It inclosed two notes. "Mr. Balfour can now see for himself it is too late to meddle. His conduct will be observed and his discretion rewarded." So ran the first, which seemed to be laboriously writ with the left hand. There was certainly nothing in these expressions to compromise the writer, even if that person could be found. The seal, which formidably served instead of signature, was affixed to a separate sheet, on which there was no scratch of writing, and I had to confess that (so far) my adversaries knew what they were doing, and to digest as well as I was able the threat that peeped under the promise.

But the second inclosure was by far the more surprising. It was in a lady's hand of writ. "Maister Davit Balfour is informed a friend was speiring for him, and her eyes were of the gray," it ran, and seemed so extraordinary a piece to come to my hands at such a moment and under cover of a government seal that I stood stupid. Catriona's gray eyes shone in my remembrance. I thought, with a bound of pleasure, she must be the friend. But who should the writer be to have her billet thus inclosed with Prestongrange's? And of all wonders, why was it thought needful to give me this pleasing but most inconsequential intelligence upon the Bass? For the writer, I could hit upon none possible except Miss Grant.

Her family, I remembered, had remarked on Catriona's eyes, and even named her for their color, and she herself had been much in the habit to address me with a broad pronunciation, by way of a sniff, I suppose, at my rusticity. No doubt, besides, but she lived in the same house as this letter came from. So there remained but one step to be accounted for, and that was how Prestongrange should have permitted her at all in an affair so secret, or let her daftlike billet go in the same cover with his own.

But even here I had a glimmering. For first of all there was something rather alarming about the young lady, and papa might be more under her domination than I knew. And, second, there was the man's continual policy to be remembered, how his conduct had been continually mingled with caresses, and he had scarce even, in the midst of so much contention, laid aside a mask of friendship. He must conceive that my imprisonment had incensed me. Perhaps this little jesting, friendly message was intended to disarm my rancor.

I will be honest—and I think it did. I felt a sudden warmth toward that beautiful Miss Grant that she should stoop to so much interest in my affairs. The summoning up of Catriona moved me of itself to milder and more cowardly counsels. If the advocate knew of her and of our acquaintance—if I should please him by some of that "discretion" at which his letter pointed—to what might not this lead? In vain is the net spread in the sight of any fowl, the Scripture says. Well, fowls must be wiser than folk! For I thought I perceived the policy, and yet fell in with it.

I was in this frame, my heart beating, the gray eyes plain before me like two stars, when Andie broke in upon my musing.

"I see ye hae gotten guid news," said he.

I found him looking curiously in my face. With that there came before me like a vision of James Stewart and the court of Inverary, and my mind turned at once upon its hinges like a door. Trials, I reflected, sometimes draw out longer than is looked for. Even if I came to Inverary just too late, something might yet be attempted in the interests of James, and in those of my own character the best would be accomplished. In a moment—it seemed without thought—I had a plan devised.

"Andie," said I, "is it still to be tomorrow?"

He told me nothing was changed.

"Was anything said about the hour?" I asked.

He told me it was to be 2 o'clock afternoon.

"And about the place?" I pursued.

"Whatten place?" says Andie.

"The place I'm to be landed at," said I.

He owned there was nothing as to that.

"Very well, then," I said, "this shall be mine to arrange. The wind is in the east; my road lies westward; keep your boat, I hire it; let us work up the Forth all day and land me a 2 o'clock tomorrow at the westmost we'll can have reached."

"Ye daft callant!" he cried, "ye would try for Inverary after a'!"

"Just that, Andie," says I.

"Weel, ye're ill to beat!" says he. "And I was kind o' sorry for ye a' day yesterday," he added. "Ye see, I was never entirely sure till then which way of it ye really wantit."

Here was a spur to a lame horse!

"A word in your ear, Andie," said I. "This plan of mine has another advantage yet. We can leave these hielandmen behind us on the rock, and one of your boats from the Castleton can bring them off tomorrow. Yon Neil has a queer eye when he regards you. Maybe if I was once out of the gate there might be knives again. These redshanks are unco grudgeful, and if there should come to be any question here is your excuse: Our lives were in danger by these savages. Being answerable for my safety, you chose the part to bring me from their neighborhood and detain me the rest of the time on board your boat, and do you know, Andie," says I with a smile, "I think it was very wisely chosen?"

"The truth is I have nae goo for Neil," says Andie, "nor he for me, I'm thinking, and I would like ill to come to my hands wi' the man. Tam Austen will make a better hand of it with the cattle onyway." (For this man Austen came from Fife, where the Gaelic is still spoken.) "Aye, aye!" says Andie, "Tam'll can deal with them the best. And troth! the mair I think of it the less I see what way we would be required. The place—aye, feggs! they had forgot the place. Eh, Shaws, ye're a long haided chield when ye like," he added, with more solemnity, and offered me his hand upon the bargain.

Whereupon, with scarce more words, we stepped suddenly on board the boat, cast off and set the lug. The Gregara were then busy upon breakfast, for the cookery was their usual part. But one of them stepping to the battlements, our flight was observed before we were 20 fathoms from the rock, and the three of them ran about the ruins and the landing shelf for all the world like ants about a broken nest, hailing and crying on us to return. We were still in both the lee and the shadow of the rock, which last lay broad upon the waters, but presently came forth in almost the same moment into the wind and sunshine. The sail filled, the boat heeled to the gunwale, and we swept immediately beyond sound of the men's voices. To what terrors they endured upon the rock, where they were now deserted without the countenance of any civilized person, or so much as the protection of a Bible, no limit can be set, nor had they any brandy left to be their consolation, for even in the haste and secrecy of our departure Andie had managed to remove it.

It was our first care to set Austen ashore in a cove by the Glenteithy rocks, so that the deliverance of our maroons might be duly seen to the next day; thence we kept away up the firth. The breeze, which was then so spirited, swiftly declined, but never wholly failed us. All day we kept moving, though often not much more, and it was after dark ere we were up with the Queens Ferry. To keep the letter of Andie's engagement—or what was left of it—I must remain on board, but I thought no harm to communicate with the shore in writing. On Prestongrange's cover, where the government seal must have a good deal surprised my correspondent, I writ by the boat's lantern a few necessary words, and Andie carried them to Rankeillar. In about an hour he came aboard again, with a purse of money and the assurance that a good horse should be standing saddled for me by 2 tomorrow at Clackmannan pool. This done, and the boat riding by her stone anchor, we lay down to sleep under the sail.

We were in the pool the next day long ere 2, and there was nothing left for me but sit and wait. I felt little alacrity upon my errand. I would have been glad of any passable excuse to lay it down, but none being to be found my uneasiness was no less great than if I had been running to some desired pleasure. But shortly after 1 the horse was at the water side, and I could see a man walking it to and fro till I should land, which vastly swelled my impatience. Andie ran the moment of my liberation very fine, showing himself a man of his bare word, but scarce serving his employers with a heaped measure, and by about 50 seconds after 2 I was in the saddle and on the full stretch for Stirling. In a little more than an hour I had passed that town, and was already mounting Alan water side when the weather broke in a small tempest. The rain blinded me, the wind had nearly beat me from the saddle, and the first darkness of the night surprised me in a wilderness still some way east of Balwhidder, not very sure of my direction, and mounted on a horse that began already to be weary.

In the press of my hurry, and to be spared the delay and annoyance of a guide, I had followed (so far as it was possible for any horseman) the line of my journey with Alan. This I did with open eyes, foreseeing a great risk in it, which the tempest had now brought to a reality. The last that I knew of where I was I think it must have been about Uam Var. The hour perhaps 6 at night. I must still think it a great good fortune that I got about 11 to my destination, the house of Duncan Dhu. Where I had wandered in the interval perhaps the horse could tell. I know we were twice down, and once over the saddle, and for a moment carried away in a roaring burn. Steed and rider were bemired up to the eyes.

From Duncan I had news of the trial. It was followed in all these highland regions with religious interest; news of it spread from Inverary as swift as men could travel, and I was rejoiced to learn that up to a late hour that Saturday it was not yet concluded, and all men began to suppose it must spread over to the Monday. Under the spur of this intelligence I would not sit to eat, but Duncan having agreed to be my guide took the road again on foot, with the piece in my hand and munching as I went. Duncan brought with him a flask of usquebaugh and a hand lantern, which last enlightened us just so long as we could find houses where to rekindle it, for the thing leaked outrageously and blew out with every gust. The more part of the night we walked blindfold among sheets of rain, and day found us aimless on the mountains. Hard by we found a hut on a burn side, where we got a bite and a direction, and a little before the end of the sermon came to the kirk doors of Inverary.

The rain had somewhat washed the upper parts of me, but I was still bogged as high as to the knees. I streamed water. I was so weary I could hardly limp, and my face was like a ghost's. I stood certainly more in need of a change of raiment and a bed to lie on than of all the benefits in Christianity. For all which (being persuaded the chief point for me was to make myself immediately public) I set the door open, entered that church with the dirty Duncan at my tails, and finding a vacant place hard by sat down.

(To be Continued.)

NOTICE.

Take notice that F. G. Vernon will apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of the license granted and bearing date the 22nd day of March, 1893, for the vending of wines, spirits, beer or other fermented or intoxicating liquors by retail, in that building on the north west corner of View and Douglas streets, city of Victoria, known as the Turner or Vernon block, to be used for hotel purposes.

Dated this 10th day of May A.D., 1893.

The British Columbia Land and Investment Agency (Limited) agents for applicant.

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NOTICE--MUNICIPAL ACT, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as the Queen's Hotel, situate at the corner of Johnson and Store streets in the City of Victoria. Dated at Victoria, B.C., May 6 1893.

Simon Leiser. my7-30t

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PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT."

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Lewis & Strauss, - - Plaintiffs;
Katherine Hotz (by original action) and George Stelly, the younger, and Hugh Bowlesby Willson Aikman, executors of the estate of Katherine Hotz, deceased, by order to carry on the proceedings, Defendants.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 15th day of May, 1893, and to me directed in the above-named suit, to levy for debt of the lands of Katherine Hotz, deceased, $2,222.83; for costs of writ against goods, $3.50; for costs of execution, &c., of this writ, $12.00; and also interest on $2,222.83 from the 5th day of May, 1893, until payment, besides Sheriff's poundage, officers' fees, and other legal and incidental expenses, I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said Katherine Hotz, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgment debt and costs.

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise Description of Property.	Estate or Interest.
Victoria City.	Lot 1 of Section 11., Beckley Farm, Map No 231. One acre of Section 1, Beckley Farm.	50 feet on Park by 150 feet on Simcoe Street. Colonist Hotel and other improvements thereon.	In fee simple. No incumbrance. In fee simple. Subject to incumbrances. Mortgage in fee to secure $5,000.
When to be Sold.		Where to be Sold.	
Tuesday June 20th, 1893.		At the Sheriff's office Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.	

Judgment herein was registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands the 6th day of May, 1893.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Sheriff.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, VICTORIA,
May 20th, 1893, 4 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify that, excepting judgments (if any), no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot One (1) of Section 11., Beckley Farm, Victoria City (Map No. 231), the title to which is registered in the name of Catherine Hotz, and that, excepting judgments (if any), the following are the only charges appearing registered or applied for against part (one acre) of Section 1, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in names of Samuel Evans and Katherine Hotz, as tenants in common, viz.:—

23rd February, 1884.—Samuel Evans and Katherine Hotz to Ludwig Emil Erb, mortgage in fee to secure payment of $5,000 on 22nd February, 1886, and interest at 7 per cent. per annum. Registered 10th March, 1884, in charge book, vol. 6, fol. 155, number 1,231B.

10th October, 1884.—Samuel Evans to Katherine Hotz, conveyance of the equity of redemption of and in one undivided half. Registered 3rd November, 1884, in charge book, vol. 6, folio 433, number 1,709B.

And I further certify that the following is the only judgment appearing registered against the real estate of Katherine Hotz, viz.:

Judgment of the Supreme Court of British Columbia obtained 5th May, 1893, by Lewis & Strauss against George Stelly, the younger, and Hugh Bowlesby Willson Aikman (as executors of Katherine Hotz, deceased) for $1,672.88, debt, and $550.25 costs. Registered on 6th May, 1893, at 10:25 o'clock a.m.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

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NOTICE.

Application to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to renew the license of the Rock Bay hotel, situated on the corner of Work and Bridge streets. Alex. Cameron, applicant. my9-30t

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To the Board of License Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, B. C., and all others whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Stephen O'Brien, of the City of Victoria, B. C., saloon-keeper, intend at the next sitting of the Board of Licensed Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, to apply for a transfer of my License to sell Liquor by retail at the premises known as the Senate Saloon, being 91 Government street in the said City of Victoria, from the said premises to the premises being number 93 in the said street, and to transfer the said license from me unto Frederick Weldon of the said City.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this fifth day of May, 1893.

STEPHEN O'BRIEN,
Senate Saloon.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the Municipality of North Cowichan for a transfer to C. H. Dickie, of the license to sell intoxicating liquor by retail, now held by me for the Quamichan hotel at Duncan Station.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1893

my12-30t JAMES DALEY.

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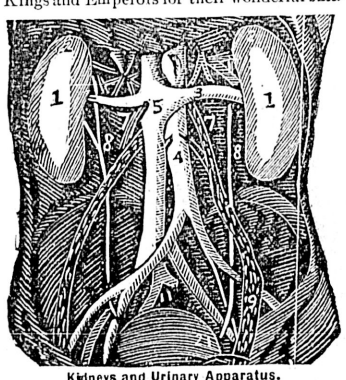

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The names of the said Physicians can be had on application at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

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TRANS-PACIFIC COMMERCE.

Mr. F. W. Ward Before the Board of Trade on Behalf of the Australian Line.

Cold Storage for the Exchange of Fish and Mutton—Victoria Freight to Come Direct.

Victoria freight, mails and passengers by the Australian line will, in future, be landed at the wharf here before the ships proceed to Vancouver. This has been the understanding, but the fact that the Miowera, after tying up at the outer wharf, left without landing any freight, and had this transhipped from Vancouver, made a doubt which was not removed until yesterday, when F. W. Ward, the representative of the owners of the line, was questioned on the subject by a COLONIST reporter.

"We were strangers on the first trip," he said, "and did not know just how to proceed. We understand the situation now, however, and each steamer will in future tie up at the outer wharf, on both inward and outward passages, and handle all Victoria business directly there."

Mr. Ward met the Victoria Board of Trade at a special meeting yesterday afternoon, at which there were present the president, T. B. Hall, in the chair, and the following members: Thos. Earle, M.P., Robert Ward, E. B. Marvin, H. F. Heisterman, Capt. J. G. Cox, E. E. Wootton, H. E. Connon, C. E. Renouf, J. Sehl, A. G. McCandless, F. B. Gregory, Charles Hayward, J. H. Todd, W. H. Ellis, M. Strouss, W. Munsie, B. Boggs, R. T. Williams, J. Davies, Hon. D. W. Higgins, C. D. Mason, R. Erskine, J. Sears, H. J. Scott, F. J. Claxton, W. Walker, Jas. Mitchell and F. Elworthy, secretary.

The President briefly introduced Mr. Ward. In doing so, he said the inauguration of this steamship line was an indication that the Australians wanted to trade with us, and we should be equally anxious to trade with them. The advantage, he considered, would be mutual. He was sure the board would be much interested in the information Mr. Ward would convey to them.

Mr. F. W. Ward first referred to the pleasant surprise afforded by the Board on the occasion of the arrival of the steamer, and said that that experience had been a sample of the kindness he had met with ever since. He was here in the effort to make this new line part of the great commercial highway of the Empire and of the world. This was only a flying visit to Victoria, as he proposed to go back to Vancouver, and return on the ship on Wednesday, to make a considerable stay here. In Australia the feeling was that this enterprise must be put at once upon a commercial basis, and justify its existence by the promotion of a large interchange of commodities between the two countries. With such a foundation they could later afford to indulge in expressions of pride at the sentimental value of the road. The communication he felt sure, from what he had seen here, had come to stay. He felt that commerce could be built up between the two countries just as a city was built up, brick by brick and house by house. It was practically impossible to obtain in Australia any statistical information as to present or possible trade between Canada and Australia, but the trade with the United States afforded a fair means of reckoning. The Australian trade, direct and traceable, with the States was larger than with any other foreign power, and this in spite of the hostile influence of the McKinley tariff. That trade amounted to, roughly speaking, about $20,000,000 a year, and was well worth cutting into. The greater part of that trade was done by New South Wales and New Zealand, which for twenty years had regularly subsidized the steamers. Here was to be found cause and effect; and he thought that Canada being directly connected with Queensland and New South Wales, would be able to build up considerable business. In trade matters the United States were, in his opinion, just a bit selfish—they had allowed the subsidy for the present service to be paid entirely by the two Australian colonies for the past twenty or twenty-five years, and the subsidy had at times gone as high as $450,000. The direct return trade from Australia had always been considerably below the export to the States from that country, who thus had to pay gold to the States.

The subject of reciprocity between Canada and Australia had been talked of, and it might be practicable to obtain it. This would have some remarkable effects. He read from the New South Wales statistical register for 1892 some interesting figures. These show an import of £600 of dressed lumber from Canada, and £9,197 from the United States; of rough lumber from Canada, £9,700; and from the United States, £107,493, or about eleven times as much. A reciprocity tariff would alter that. In doors there was nothing from Canada, and £14,226 worth from the United States; shooks and staves, £123 from the States; laths, £353 from Canada, and £2,455 from the States; shingles, £955 worth from the United States and nothing from Canada. This record particularly concerned the Province of British Columbia, which with a reciprocity tariff could take this business right away. There was another article of produce which this Province had—the article of fish, and more particularly salmon, which king of fishes had never yet found its way to Australia except as an article of commerce, though half the courage and enterprise he showed in ascending the Canadian rivers would take him clear across to Australia. (Laughter.) He felt that a reciprocity treaty would give Canada the whole Australian trade in canned fish; and in fresh fish a large immediate trade might be established. He hoped that one of the holds of the ship could be insulated and packed with fish. It was intended on the return trip to fill the refrigerators with salmon, and to so distribute these in Sydney as to best advertise them. They would be a novelty and a delicacy, and he was sure there would soon be a demand. The returns showed no imports from Canada, but the fish from here were probably included in the total of 1,516,912 lbs., valued at £27,314, which came to Sydney from San Francisco. In this line Canada could not fail to take the market were there any treaty arrangements.

The islands of the Pacific, he thought, also would be a good market for Canadian fish. The Hawaiian Islanders were great consumers of fish and liked the American article, which they got from the United States under a one-legged reciprocity treaty—the United States having the leg—and the only advantage which the Hawaiians had when the treaty was instituted had been removed when the United States admitted sugar from all places free. The agents of the line in Honolulu assured him that the market for fish there was constantly increasing, and it must be remembered that the present treaty which gave the U. S. the market would not last for ever. It must be remembered, too, that there were other well populated islands in the Pacific. It would be well worth the while of the Canadians to cultivate trade with the Fiji Islands, for instance. They had an output of between three and four million dollars a year. There is as much fertile land in Fiji as in the British West Indies. The native population is over 100,000, and there are some 10,000 or 12,000 Indian coolie laborers and something more than 2,000 of a white population of officials and planters. The place awaits developments, and in a peculiar sense is a complement of Canada. Canadians want sugar, and the now modestly disposed Fijian wears cotton. (Laughter). Bananas, regarded in Australia not as a mere fruit, but as part of the daily food, could now be obtained in Fiji at a nominal price. When cotton could be sent from Canada to China and Japan there was no reason why it should not be sent also to Fiji. The lines mentioned were only a few of those in which profitable trade could be done.

A matter he threw out for consideration was this: It a large trade could be developed between Australasia and the Canadian Dominion, is it or is it not profitable that that trade should be chiefly controlled on the Canadian side by the province to which the line runs? He thought the Australian exporters would be better satisfied to deal with one firm here than with several in the Eastern provinces. This was, he thought, well worth considering. He invited the board or a committee to examine the statistics to see in what lines the attempt could be most profitably made to supply the Australian market from Canada with articles now coming from the United States. So far as his line was concerned they would try to build up the business on a moderately profitable basis. They hoped to commence with fruit and wool, and to make such a rate with wool that it could be sent over the Canadian Pacific railway not only to Eastern Canada but to points in the Eastern States as well. (Applause.) In conclusion he invited the Board to be represented, to as large a degree as possible, at a luncheon to be provided on the Miowera at Vancouver, just before sailing. (Applause.)

In answer to Mr. Todd, Mr. Ward said the ships had now no cold storage accommodation, but he hoped that a hold could be insulated to take fish from Canada and mutton from Australia. (Applause.) He had a letter from a Sydney shipper, who offered to place the mutton free on board at a cost of 5 farthings or 2½ cents per lb., and he thought that at a charge of 3 or 4 cents per lb. the mutton could be delivered in Victoria so hard that it could be thrown about like stones. The cold storage was kept up by machinery, and could be easily managed. It was no more difficult to manage a cold chamber in a ship than on land. They could bring grapes and fruit generally in what was not the season here in perfect condition. Had they known the condition of the potato market here they might have brought on the last trip a full supply, as first-class potatoes were selling there at £3 10 per long ton of 2,240 pounds. He hoped the Board would sample the potatoes on the ship.

Mr. Robert Ward said one great feature of the new line was the shortening of the voyage, in illustration of which he mentioned that he had received copies of letters from Australian correspondents by the mail which came on the Miowera, while the original, mailed via San Francisco, came to hand in Victoria only to-day. (Applause.) He dealt with the trade statistics published, and showed that they were defective by reason of the fact that the Canadian trade, being done via San Francisco, had been lost sight of. He felt that the trade was capable of very great development indeed. The tariff question presented itself as a prime difficulty, which ought to be removed to bring the Australian trade this way. With such a readjustment the item of timber alone would form an export of very great magnitude. British Columbia timber was preferred in the trade to any other, the latest confirmation of this fact being a letter he had to-day from Australia. This board had already grasped the idea put forward by the last speaker as shown by the resolution passed last week, calling upon the Dominion Government to take into consideration this question of tariffs. He moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Ward for his address.

Thos. Earle, M.P., seconded the resolution. He thought the action of the Dominion Government in connection with the subsidy to this line was a guarantee that they would do everything possible in the matter of rearranging the tariffs so long as the internal domestic economy of the Dominion would not be injuriously affected. He would do all he could personally in the matter. (Applause.)

The President in putting the resolution, which was carried unanimously, expressed the hope that as many members as possibly could would accept the invitation to go up to Vancouver and return on the ship.

Mr. F. W. Ward acknowledged the vote, and the meeting closed.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

June 12, 1890.

Lorimer v. Jensen—Application on the part of the plaintiff for an order for the inspection of the Dallas hotel by the plaintiff, architect, etc. Order consented to. Belyea & Gregory for plaintiff; Yates, Jay & Russell for defendant.

Jackson v. Jackson & Mylius—For leave to distrain for rent. Leave to distrain, if money be not paid within ten days by receiver. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff; Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for David Spencer.

Carmody v. Drum—For commission to examine defendants at Tacoma. Application for commission refused. Defendants to pay into court $2,000 or security for same amount to the satisfaction of the Registrar. Trial of action to be brought on within three weeks. McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, for plaintiffs; Eberts & Taylor, and C. L. Mason, for defendants.

Rithet v. Union SS. Co.—Adjourned till Saturday next.

SET FOR WEDNESDAY 14TH.

Commercial Bank of Manitoba v. Kootenay Trading Syndicate—To extend time for return of commission.

Rithet v. Union SS. Co.—Defendants' application for further and better particulars.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 1, Block XV., Lot 7, Block XXIII., and Lot 1, Block XLIX. (Map 266). Nelson City.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Henry Langley to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of September, 1890, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.

Notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 17th May, 1893. my17 1m

Notice of Sale by Sheriff

PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT, 1874"

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

James Holroyd, - - Plaintiff; Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), Defendant.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 20th day of May, 1893 and to me directed, of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3 707 25 and $3 50 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $3,661.50 at six per centum per annum from the 5th day of May, 1893, until payment; also, the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased) of the estate, title and interest of the above named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $9,819 31, and $7 00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $9 819 32 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; also James Reid v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $1 663.95, and $7 00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $1 663 95 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also, Cowan & Wilson v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3,912 67, and $7.00 for costs and execution, &c., and also interest on $3,912.67 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also the Bank of British North America v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood deceased, to levy $18,825.15, and $7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $18,825.15 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; besides Sheriff's poundage, fees and other expense of the executions above-named I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the estate, title and interest in the lands above-named of the said Joseph Heywood, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgments and expenses of sale. Terms of sale, cash.

District	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.	When to be Sold	Where to be Sold.
Victoria City.	Lot No. 315	According Official Map	Fee simple. No incumbrance.	Tuesday, June 20th, 1893.	At the Sheriff' Office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.
	Lot No. 24 Sec. X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District.	Fairfield Farm Estate Registered as a Homestead (No 48) in name of Joe Heywood.	Fee Simple. Lease dated Ap'l 12, 1860. Registered on 17th July, 1873. Fee simple.		
	Part of Section IV., Victoria District.	4 acres, or thereabouts, Victoria District, except Lots 1, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162.	Mortgage in fee to secure payment of $9,000 to Henry S Mason		

Judgments herein were registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands the 1st day of March, 1893, and the 20th day of May, 1893.

J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, VICTORIA, 31st day of May, 1893, 3 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify as follows:—

1. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 315 Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood.

2. That excepting judgments (if any) and the charge hereinafter mentioned, no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 24, Fairfield Farm Estate, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood, subject to a certain lease, dated 12th April, 1860 and registered in charge book, vol. 2, fol 765 No. 493B.

3. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Section X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District (now City), the title to which is registered as a Homestead (No. 48) in the name of Joe Heywood.

4. That excepting judgments (if any) the following is the only charge registered or applied for against part (4 acre, or thereabouts) of Section IV., Victoria District (now City) except Lots 1 5, 6, 15 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162, the title to which is register ed in the name of Joe Heywood, viz.:—

18th March, 1892.—Joe Heywood to Henry S. Mason, mortgage in fee to secure payment of the sum of $9,000 on 18th March, 1893, and interest at 10 per cent, per annum Registered on 27th April, 1892, in charge book, vol. 10, fol. 322, No 12 152B. An assignment of the above mortgage to the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, is registered in charge book, vol. 11, fol. 31, No. 12,659B.

5. That no judgments appear registered against the real estate of Joe Heywood.

6. That the following judgment appears registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood and of Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratrix of his estate, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained the 20th day of February, 1893, by James Holroyd against Joseph Heywood and Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratrix of his estate, for $3,628 90, debt, and $32.60 costs. Registered 1st March, 1893, in charge book vol. 11 fol 727, No. 14374B.

7. That the following judgments appear registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia obtained 1st May, 1893, by James Reid against Eliza Ann Heywood as Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $1,629 50, debt, and $34 45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 32.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained the 2nd May, 1893, by Cowan & Wilson against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $3,878.22 debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No 33.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix, with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $9,784 86 debt and $34 45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 34.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the Bank of British North America against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $18,790 70 debt, and $34 45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 35.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General. PER S. Y. WOOTTON, Deputy.

To J. E. McMillan, Esq., Sheriff. je13

TAKE NOTICE

That I shall apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, to be held in and for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me for the Mirror Saloon, situated on a portion of lot 423, Victoria City, corner of Broad and Yates streets, in the City of Victoria, to Edward Legg, of 47 Yates street, Victoria, saloon keeper.

Dated 24th day of April, 1893.

ap25-1m JAMES MUNGER.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that payments on lots purchased in lot 31, Kings road, Work Estate, and in lot 70, Edmonton road, Fernwood Estate, are to be made to Mr. Hyland, of the firm of Matson & Hyland, office in Redfern's building, Government street.

W. H. ELLIS.

Victoria, March 18, 1893. mc18

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4.30 pm	110	Ar....Victoria....Lv	Ml	8.30 pm

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11.00 pm	28	Lv....Seattle.....Ar	58	
12.30 am	35	.. Port Madison ..	47	2.10 pm
	45	.....Kingston.....	41	
3 00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
4 0 am	73	...Port Ludlow...	13	10.00 am
6.00 am	85	Ar. Pt. Townsend .Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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A. D. CHARLTON, Asst. Gen. Pas. Agent, 121 First street, Washington, Portland, Or. ap2

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No 18,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time,

North Bound (Read Down) No. 2 Passeng'r Daily	No. 4 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.	Mls. f'm Vic	STATIONS.	Mls. f'm Wel	South Bound (Read Up) No. 1 Passeng'r Daily	No. 3 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.
A.M. De. 8.00	P.M. De. 3.01		Victoria	78	P.M. Ar. 12.21	P.M. Ar. 8.00
" 8.04	" 3.08	1	Russell's	77	" 12.20	" 7.56
" 8. 4	" 3.16	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10	" 7.4[illegible]
" 8.39	" 3.36	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.45	" 7.28
" 9.14	" 4.05	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.31	" 4.27	28	Shawnigan Lake	[illegible]0	" 10.50	" 6.37
" 9.44	" 4.37	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 9.57	" 4.49	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	" 6.15
" 10.07	" 4.59	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.04	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	43	Somenos	35	" 10.02	" 5.52
" 10.48	" 5.32	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.36	" 5.32
" 11.09	" 5.49	59	Oyster Bay siding	19	" 9.15	" 5.15
Ar. 11.50 De. 11.59	" 6.22	73	Nanaimo	5	De. 8.34 Ar. 8.25	" 4.42
Ar. 12.[illegible]4 P.M.	Ar. 6.31 P.M.	78	Wellington		De. 8.10 A.M.	De. 4.30 P.M.

On Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days including day of issue.

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NOTICE—Application for renewal of Liquor License for Hotel Dallas will be made at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners. WM. JENSEN.

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Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 5 a. m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe1

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C P R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

BYRON N. WHITE COMPANY

(Foreign.)

Registered the 27th Day of May, 1893.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is to certify that I have this day registered the "Byron N. White Company" (Foreign), under the Companies Act, Part IV., "Registration of Foreign Companies" and the "Companies Act Amendment Act 1889."

The objects for which the Company is established, are:—

The acquiring and holding lands by gift purchase or as mortgagee, lessee, or otherwise, and the selling, leasing, mortgaging, exchanging and otherwise dealing in or alienating the same; the exploring for locating procuring, holding, buying, leasing, exchanging, selling and operating mines, mineral land and mineral or mining claims; the mining, quarrying and producing ores and minerals of all kinds, including gold, silver, lead, copper, iron and all other metals and minerals; the transporting, marketing, buying, selling and trading in such ores and minerals; the milling, smelting, refining, reducing and working such ores, metals and minerals and all or any of them and the products thereof; the buying, selling, procuring, holding, exchanging and dealing in standing and other timber, and the cutting, transporting, marketing, sawing and manufacture thereof; the owning, construction, erection, operation and improvement of water powers; the improvement of rivers and streams, and the driving, assorting and delivery of logs and timber; the erection, construction and operation of sawmills, electric light and power plants; and to conduct said businesses or any or either of them in the State of Wisconsin, and in any of the States and Territories of the United States, Mexico and British Columbia, and to do all acts and things which shall be necessary or convenient in the conduct of said businesses or any or either of them, including the buying, owning, selling, leasing, exchanging and dealing in any and all kinds of property, real or personal, and both.

The amount of the Capital Stock of the said Company is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into one million shares of Fifty Cents each.

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson, Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 27th day of May, 1893, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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The Colonist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, June 13, 1893.

Sun rises.....4.11 a.m. | Sun sets.....7.48 p.m.

Moon sets 9 p.m.

Day of the year, 164th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 11, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	48°	Mean 52°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	47°		
9 a. m..	52°	Highest 60°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	58°		1 p.m.—Calm.
5 p. m..	53°	Lowest 44°	9 p.m.—8 W.
9 p. m..	50°		Rain—01.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 12, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	51°	Mean 53°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	49°		
9 a. m..	54°	Highest 61°	5 a.m.—3 S.
p. m..	57°		1 p.m.—16 S.
5 p. m..	56°	Lowest 49°	9 p.m—4 W.
9 p. m..	55°		

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer R. P. RITHET from Westminster Mrs Brown, I B Fisher, E A Wylde, H Dexter, W Jones, C Smith, R McBride, W Gray, J Fleming, J Murray, R A Hume V Pouchret, C Martin, E Evens, W I Patterson, J Munroe, F W Howie, W Ward, R Hendry, C D Deane, G Payne, J Wessel, E Soule, T E Ladner.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—Miss L Scribner, Miss M E Morton, Miss N Gilman, E M Kilburn and wife, J D Garrison, J W Harpst, Miss G Gompertz, O E de Ridder, Percy Havell, W C Van Fleet and wife, W Hull, A Davigon, J Stevens and wife, Mrs Baker, C S Batchelor and wife, Miss W Gordon, Miss Brown, Mrs R D Perry, Miss Perry, Miss Miller, Miss Ewen, R T Lees, T Chase and wife, Miss Bolthee, Miss Wilson, E Caswell, Willis Abbey, Mrs A Cornoley and two children, Capt E W Reed and wife, H Lapiere and wife, J W Kinlock and wife, Miss Goodwin and Miss Wise.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer R. P. RITHET from Westminster—Schl-Hastie-Erskine Co, Matthews R & T, E G Prior & Co, Ltd, S Maclure, A J Rowbotham, S W Curtis, R T Williams, J Cameron, Lenz & Leiser, R P Rithet & Co. Ltd, S Leiser, C O N Co, Ltd, Hudson's Bay Co, Albion Iron Works, Baker & Son, J Tollick, T Earle, L Goodacre, H Bornstein, Wilson Bros, F H Worlock, D Doig, P T Paton.

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DIED.

HILL—On May 26, at South Bank Surbiton, Surrey, England, Mabel Mary, beloved wife of Edwin Howard Hill, of Victoria, B.C., and eldest daughter of the Rev. J. F. Kitto, of St Martin-in-the-Fields, Trafalgar Square London, England, in her 26th year. *Corrected Notice.*

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The City Council Holds a Special Meeting to Hear Complaints Against Telephone Poles,

But the Whole Afternoon is Occupied in Discussing a Question of Procedure.

Legal skirmishing over the method of procedure made the special meeting of the City Council yesterday, to hear the objection of Hon. Amor De Cosmos to certain poles to be erected by the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Company, a much longer one than was anticipated, and even then there was really no business done. There were present His Worship the Mayor, Ald. McKillican, McTavish, Henderson, Miller, Munn, Styles and Bragg, representing the Council; Hon. A. N. Richards, Q C., and Mr. B. H. T. Drake, for Hon. Amor De Cosmos; and Mr. E. V. Bodwell, Mr. E. Crow Baker and Mr. R. B. McMicking for the Telephone Company.

The Mayor opened the meeting by reading the correspondence asking for the conference. He then asked Mr. De Cosmos, or his counsel, to make their objections.

Hon. Mr. Richards wanted to know if the telephone company had filed any application as to the placing of their poles. He contended that this was the proper course to pursue, as then the Council could know what they were doing and he (Mr. Richards) what to oppose. Under common law he maintained that no poles could be put down or any obstruction placed to prevent anyone owning property from having free access to the public highway. The company, however, maintained that they were acting under a private statute, which gave them the power they claimed. But there was another well known principle of law, which was that when private rights were encroached upon there should be compensation. Strange to say, this company had obtained its charter without any provision being made as to compensation, but instead, the Council was placed in the position of a court of arbitration, which would have to protect not only its own rights but also those of private parties. He had argued before the Court that the consent of the Council must be obtained, and in order that the Council could give a proper judgment, the Company should present its application by way of petition, setting forth full particulars, the size of posts, number of wires it was proposed to string, and, in fact, every detail, so that parties who should be affected would know exactly how the placing of these poles would act upon them and their property. He submitted that before the Council should give permission, this formal application should be made. Another reason why these details should be before the Council was that whatever the present Council should grant, the company would claim *ad infinitum*. If the application had been made, and the Council then assented to it, the records would show what was granted exactly, so that there could be no further dispute about it.

Mr. Bodwell regretted that there should have been a misunderstanding between himself and his learned friend as to the method of bringing the case before the Council. He argued that the statute had given the company absolute right to place their poles on the public streets, but the company came here to-day because they were unwilling to do any injustice to any one, and were desirous that Mr. De Cosmos should have every opportunity of presenting his objections. The statute gave the company undoubted and unqualified rights along the public streets, so that no private individual had any rights in the matter at all. The reasonable construction to be placed on the statute was that as a matter of city government the Council should have a right to approve generally of the putting up of the poles by the company. The order of court was made without prejudice to any of the contentions raised before the judge, and did not affect the legal status of the case. Touching upon the question of the poles, he argued that they were not dangerous and not inconvenient. The Council and its officers had approved the action of the company, and this having been done the plaintiff in the actin had no cause for complaint. If Mr. De Cosmos wanted the pole moved this way or that way ten feet or so, or had any other reasonable objection to make, the company would be pleased to consider it, but so long as the City Council was satisfied, then Mr. De Cosmos had no business to ask to have the poles cut down to half their length or anything of the kind.

Mr. Richards again argued that a formal application should be made.

Mr. Bodwell thought his learned friend ought to act with some show of fairness, instead of coming here to raise questions of mere legal technicality.

Mr. Richards still wanted the formal application for the purpose of record.

Mr. Bodwell claimed the statute did not require anything of the kind.

The Mayor thought if Mr. Richards had any objections to the poles he ought to state them.

Mr. Richards—Where is the application? Show me and I will then oppose it.

Mr. Bodwell—My learned friend forgets we have our permission from the Council.

Mr. Richards—The resolution of the Council was made without hearing the other side. It amounts to nothing.

The Mayor thought the Council was assembled to hear the objections raised on behalf of Mr. De Cosmos.

Mr. Richards—The Council should demand a formal application from the company, setting forth all particulars and details. The present application was a most unbusiness-like one, which any law clerk of six months standing would see was not a business proposition. Why don't you make a proper application?

Mr. Bodwell—This is our application, and I don't propose to make any other unless the Council order me to do so.

Mr. Richards—But the Council should order you to do so.

Mr. Bodwell—All this is outside the question. If Mr. De Cosmos has any objection we will meet it. For the rest, we are quite satisfied and will take the responsibility, which falls on us not on the Council.

After further discussion as to the form of the application, the Mayor wanted to hear what Mr. Richards had to say—what were the objections to the poles?

Mr. De Cosmos—Are you blind Mr. Mayor?

The Mayor replied that he had fairly good use of his eyes.

Mr. De Cosmos did not see how the poles could be defended at all. He did not see what right a set of scoundrels had to go and injure his property.

Mr. E. Crow Baker said that as one of the members of the telephone company he objected to any such language. He demanded that it be withdrawn.

Mr. De Cosmos alleged that the poles up by his residence had been voted an "infamous nuisance" by every hackman that had been up there. The Chief Justice had also agreed they were a nuisance.

Mr. Baker insisted on the language used by Mr. De Cosmos being withdrawn. He thought the Mayor should insist on it.

The Mayor hoped Mr. De Cosmos would withdraw his offensive remark. No doubt Mr. De Cosmos had spoken in heat, but he would probably on consideration withdraw.

Mr. De Cosmos, however, did not withdraw.

Mr. Richards then argued against the poles, which, he claimed, were unsafe from their height. Suppose one of these poles with 200 wires on it were blown over and injured a building, would a company like this, organized to make money, pay damages? No, not if they could wriggle out of it. Another thing, suppose a man were to go up one of these poles and fell down and was killed, the company wouldn't compensate his widow. If a post were only twenty feet high and the man went up it and missed his footing, he could hug the pole and slide down; but up on these posts, 90 or 100 feet high, he would be in danger. These poles, too, were not stayed, and being so high might fall. He had heard no reason why the company wanted these enormous poles. It was intimated the company might want to use these poles for other purposes than telephoning, but, if so, the company had no authority to do so. Why was it necessary to put so many wires on Government street? The company ought to be compelled to go on the side streets except for such wires as were actually needed on Government street. Another view of the case was that the poles were unsightly, and destroyed the beauty of the street and the effect of the handsome buildings erected by public spirited men. The wires ought to go underground. He urged the Council to beware how they bound posterity by granting concessions now which did not seem to amount to anything.

Mr. Richards then wanted to call some evidence on oath.

Mr. Bodwell had no objection, but pointed out that the objections were general, not specific, and were such as could not be urged generally on behalf of Mr. De Cosmos.

Ald. Miller objected to the amount of legal sparring that had been done. When the legal gentlemen were ready to get down to business, he was sure the Council would be ready to hear them, but in the meantime it was getting near dinner time and he thought the Council should adjourn.

Mr. DeCosmos said if the Council would meet again he would bring maps and other information which would enable the Council to come to an intelligent conclusion. He suggested that behind all this there was something else, viz, that the Mount Tolmie Railway company might want to use these poles.

Ald. Bragg—They are not going to use wires at all.

Mr. De Cosmos didn't know but thought, perhaps, if Ald. Bragg was an agent of the company he might be aware of what the company was going to do.

Ald. Bragg replied hotly, that Mr. De Cosmos was a master of insinuation, and he (Ald. Bragg) would like him to understand that he was not an agent of the Mount Tolmie company or any one else.

Mr. Richards asked again for the formal application.

Mr. Bodwell wanted to know what special injury these poles did Mr. De Cosmos.

Ald. Miller asked if the Council could come to a conclusion after hearing the lawyers. Would it not have to be referred to the city barristers?

The Mayor—This will be a matter of fact, not of law.

After some discussion the meeting adjourned to 2 o'clock on Thursday.

Stocks in New York.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Pacific railroad bonds closed as follows: Union firsts, 106 bid; Union sinking funds, 192½ bid; Central, 105½ bid; money on call, 5 to 7 per cent.; Foreign exchange posted rates sterling 486½ for sixty days; 499½ on demand; time money, 5 to 6 per cent. for five months, 4½ to 5 for two, three and four months, 5 for one month; commercial paper, 6 to 7 per cent. for sixty and ninety days. The week opened with comparatively quiet markets at the stock exchange. The sales in stocks aggregated only 209,196 shares, of which 26,446 were unlisted. There was little in the way of news to affect speculation. Prices tolerably firm. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific, 77⅞; Central Pacific, 25; Denver and Rio Grande, 14; Wells Fargo Express, 140; Great Northern, preferred, 114½; Missouri Pacific, 35½; Northern Pacific, 13½; do. preferred, 34⅞; Northwestern, 108; Oregon Navigation, 86; Oregon Improvement, 12; Pacific Mail, 19; Texas Pacific, 7¼; Union Pacific, 29; Western Union, 83¼; Northern Pacific con. 63½; Oregon Improvement, 51½; bar silver, 83⅛.

From Nicaragua.

NEW YORK, June 13.—A special to the Times from Mexico says: "Private advices from Nicaragua represent that there is grave danger of a collision between the United States marines and the populace. The troops, it is stated, have landed and thrown up fortifications at Antae in order to protect the canal company's property. The Government of Nicaragua will endeavor to prevent an outbreak, but the situation is serious.

Walter Borns returned from Europe on Sunday evening.

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STATEMENTS having been made by parties who are opposed to the building of a town at LARDEAU CITY, on Arrow Lake, to the effect that the SITE was subject to overflow, and also that Navigation to that Point was impossible, it becomes necessary to contradict the same. Both statements are without foundation. The notes of the Engineer who surveyed the TOWNSITE can be seen at the office of the Trustee, or any of the Agents, in regard to every Block. The Resident Agent was instructed to take soundings, and his report can also be seen at the Trustee's Office. At the present time there are eight feet at the highest point on Fish Creek, where lots have been surveyed; and the fact that the steamer Kootenay, of the K. & C. Navigation Co., with a large freight and passenger list, called at Lardeau on June 1st, is good evidence of the depth of water, and the falsity of the reports. At the Lowest Water there is ample depth at the Southwestern End of the Townsite for the safe Navigation of the largest steamers now running on the Columbia River. The fact that a number of business men have erected large buildings, and have made considerable investments in Lardeau realty is strong evidence, that the Site is all that has been claimed for it. A glance at the map of Kootenay District will show also that it is the Natural Distributing Centre for the Lardeau Mines, near Trout Lake and Lardeau City, and for the rich Fish Creek District.

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